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MAIL PILOT KILLED

BOOTLEG LIST STILL MISSING

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—"The little black book," reputed to guard within its covers the names of 1,400 customers of a Washington bootlegger syndicate, some of them occupying high government places today became the center of the latest "booze scandal" in the capital.

Who has the little black book?

This was the question many investigators were trying to answer as police and internal revenue officials both denied possession of the list.

Police said they turned the list over to internal revenue officials. Elmer E. Irey, chief of the intelligence bureau, said he had not received it. Irey today telephoned Commissioner James F. Oster, in charge of Washington police, who has been quoted as saying the customers' list was turned over to the internal revenue officials.

Oster admitted to Irey he had not actually seen the list and was not certain it had been turned over.

"I don't think the police ever got the list," Irey said. "Some of the thirteen prisoners mentioned it, together with some of the names of prominent people it is supposed to have contained.

"From what I learn, the list was in a little black book which could have been easily and quickly destroyed in case of a raid. I'm sure there's none in existence now."

Irey's theory is that when police and prohibition agents raided a down town office building where the bootleg syndicate had maintained headquarters for years, the black book was destroyed. It was reported to have contained names of two cabinet members, several other government officials, scores of congressmen and hundreds of persons well known in Washington's social circles.

Opinion today was that the list had been passed up to Secretary of the Treasury Mellon because of the prominence of some of those listed, and that Mellon would decide what was to be done with it. It was impossible to verify this, as Mellon was in Pittsburgh.

TURKS IN AN AGREEMENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Another step in the direction fo resuming formal diplomatic relations between the United States and Turkey is expected today with the signing of Constantinople of a claims agreement between the two countries.

Rear Admiral Mark L. Bristol, the American high commissioner in the near east, is understood to have authorized by the state department to sign the agreement, expected to be in the form of an exchange of notes or a protocol. The Turkish government is understood to have approved the agreemnet.

The claims agreement will set up a commission of two Americans and two Turks for settling American claims against Turkey, growing out of the world war. This commission will not meet for some time and the members of the respective countries have not yet been appointed.

American claims against Turkey are principally for requisition by the Turks during the war of property and goods in Turkey of this country's citizens.

RED VIRGIN IS HELD INNOCENT

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Germaine Berton, "the red virgin," strikingly pretty twenty-year-old girl anarchist, was acquitted today of the murder of Maurice Plateau, editor of the Action Francaise, socialist newspaper.

Mlle. Berton went to the office of the newspaper, seeking to kill Leon Daudet, the publisher. Daudet was not there, so she shot Plateau.

Her trial came at a time when feeling between the Paris anarchists group and the "camelots"—royalists led by Daudet—ran high. The publisher's son committed suicide a short time ago, after having gone over to the anarchist cause.

Mlle. Berton admitted her guilt at the trial and calmly powdered her pretty nose while lawyers wrangled and anarchists and royalists among the spectators came nearly to blows.

One day Daudet attended the trial and Mlle. Berton told him she was sorry she had not killed him instead of Plateau.

INVITE WESTERN BANKER

Los Angeles Man May Sit With Experts Investigating Germany's Ability to Pay.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—The reparations commission decided today to invite Henry M. Robinson, president of the First National bank of Los Angeles to be a member of the second of two committees of experts which will investigate Germany's capacity to pay.

GIFT TO NEWSBOYS.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 24.—A localnewspaper will allow its newies clear profit tomorrow by donating Christmas papers.

GERMAN RAILROAD MEN ATTEMPT TO FORCE WAY INTO REICHSTAG, FEARING DISMISSAL AS ECONOMY MOVE



Germany's financial condition forced all the government ministers to inaugurate measures to cut down expenses. These included reducing the personnel in various departments. Many railroad officials and employes were directly affected.

FIGURES ON TAX PAYING

SUBURBANITES HIT HARDER THAN CITY OWNERS.

State Taxes Form Only From a Twelfth to Nineteenth of What Property Owners Must Dig in For.

Just how little state taxes affect the burden of the owner of property within the municipalities of the state may be ascertained from a close reading of the figures on the back of the receipts that taxpayers are now getting from county treasurers where they have paid. Much was said during the session of the state legislature about the powerful example that the state would show to all the other taxpaying authorities of the commonwealth if it reduced taxes.

The state cut taxes 3 mills on the dollar. If you are a citizen of Lincoln you will find that the county taxes you are called on to pay will be just the same as last year, and that your city taxes are slightly less, 4.6 mills, which includes 3 mills cut in state taxes. You pay the same for sanitary district, and a little less for school.

If you are a citizen of University Place your city and school taxes will be the same, with, of course, 3 mills cut off by the state. If of Bethany you will pay one mill more; if of Havelock, 37 mills and if of College Veiw 16 mills more.

If you live in Lincoln and are assessed on the basis of $1,000 taxable property value, you will pay $24.49. Of this the state will get $2; the county, $1.64; the sanitary district, $1; the school district, $11.90; the school building fund, $1.20 and the city (collected by the city treasurer) $6.75.

If you live in University Place you will, on a basis of $1,000 valuation, pay $35.84, or more than $11 more than if you lived in Lincoln. Of this sum the school district will get $20; the town, $6.40; the school bond levy, $4.80; sanitary district, $1; the county, $1.64 and the state, $2.

If you live in Havelock, you will pay, on $1,000 valuation, $35.74, divided as follows: School district, $18; school bonds, $1.90; school building, $1.60; town, $10.60; sanitary district, $1; county, $1.64; state, $2.00.

If you live in College View, on $1,000 valuation, you will pay $28.94; of which the school district gets $12.90; the school bond levy, $3.20; the village, $8.20; sanitary district, $1; county, $1.64; state, $2.

If you live in Bethany, on a $1,000 valuation, you will pay a total of $37.54, divided as follows: School district, $20; school bonds, $1.60; town, $11.30; sanitary district, $1; county, $1.64; state, $2.

On this basis the suburban property owner pays from 16 to 52 per cent more than if he lived in Lincoln, depending on which suburb he lives in.

TO RENEW RUHR PARLEY

Premier Poincare to Receive German Charge D'Affaires Monday Afternoon.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Premier Poincare has agreed to receive Herr Von Hoesch, German charge d' affaires, at 5 p. m. today to renew preliminary negotiations regarding the situation in the Ruhr and Rhineland.

Von Hoesch, it is understood, is to be made German ambassador to France, with Poincare's approval.

KU KLUX SANTA CLAUS.

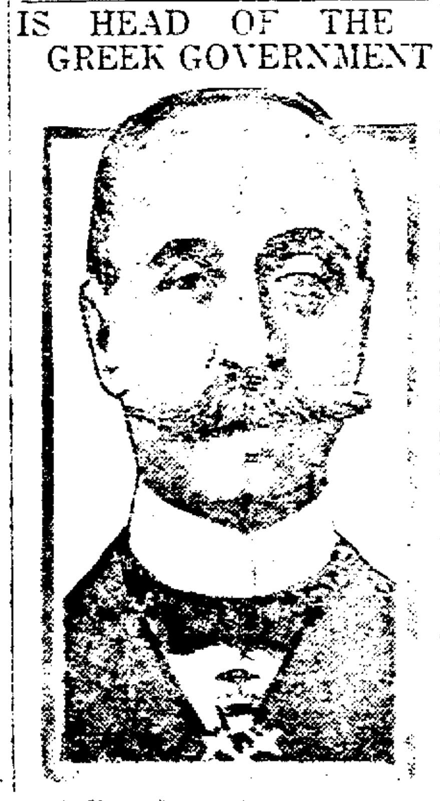
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 24.—Ku klux klaners in full regalia distributed Christmas packages to 1,000 needy families here. Sixty of the families were negroes.

NO PRESENTS, HANGS SELF.

GALESBURG, Ill., Dec. 24.—Discouraged because of the loss of his job and his lack of funds to buy Christmas presents for his family, Thure Anderson [illegible] committed suicide [illegible].

His body was found suspended by a heavy cord from a doorway by his [illegible].

IS HEAD OF THE GREEK GOVERNMENT



With King George in exile, Admiral Coundouriotis has assumed the regency. He filled a similar post in 1920.

HEIRESS TO THE JOHN W. GATES MILLIONS BECOMES A MOTHER



P. & A.

"It's the loveliest music I ever heard," said Mrs. Dellora Angel Norris, heiress of the John W. Gates millions, to a nurse in a St. Charles city hospital, when the latter placed a crying eight pound baby daughter beside her. Mrs. Norris, whose husband is Lester Norris, her schoolboy sweetheart, had insisted that she be given one of the simple rooms in the maternity ward of the hospital. There was no retinue of doctors and nurses. In fact, the baby was born before a specialist, summoned from Chicago, had arrived. The baby probably will be named Laverne, after Mrs. Norris' mother. Mrs. Norris celebrated her twenty-first birthday anniversary December 23, when she received the accumulated income from the $20,000,000 estate bequeathed her by her aunt, Mrs. Dellora R. Gates.

MARILYN MILLER BREAKS WITH "SALLY"



P. & A.

While Jack Pickford, her husband (left) and Attorney Malevinsky (right) look on, she goes over legal papers sent Flo Ziegfeld.

MELLON PLAN IS ATTACKED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The democratic attack on the Mellon tax program in congress will be linked with the democratic attack on the Fordney-McCumber tariff under plans being matured by democratic leaders in the house.

The democrats who intended to make the tariff law one of their chief talking points in the 1924 campaign, will stress in the house fight for tax reduction their claim that the tariff law is really a tax law.

In this connection the democratic national committee today issued a statement that the tariff law is costing the American Christmas shopper $1,000,000,000 this year. The tariff on imported dolls and toys and other Christmas articles averages 15 per cent, the committee pointed out, and if Christmas business was as heavy this year as last, when it was $6,000,000,000, the billion dollar tax is the result.

PAY TRIBUTE TO AN AUTHOR

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—[illegible] passers-by on Broadway, [illegible] iron railings around Trinity cemetery tonight, will see a procession of twinkling, many colored lanterns bobbing slowly along among the tombstones.

And [illegible] to listen, they will hear a faint sound of trumpets, [illegible] the city's noises, and then the voices of a great host of children singing in unison:

"'Twas the night before Christmas [illegible] the house."

Not a creature was stirring, not even a mouse."

The children who march from the chapel of the Intercession [illegible] will [illegible] grave [illegible] Clement Clarke Moore, who in 1822 wrote the words [illegible] the world [illegible].

A carol [illegible] trumpets will sound once more and then the children, carrying their colored lanterns, will file back to the chapel leaving holly wreaths and evergreens on the tomb of the author of the immortal [illegible].

THE BACHELOR SHOPPER.

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 24.—"I should like to buy a teddy," he told the floor walker.

"A teddy, did you say, sir?" repeated the obsequious gentleman.

"Well, that's what she says she wants," he confided demurely.

"Third floor, please."

With knees shaking he wandered about like a lost soul until a clerk inquired, "May I help you?"

"I want to see a teddy, please," he volunteered.

"Flesh, white or orchid?" As she took down a box from the shelf.

"I would rather have one of brown fur cloth, I think," he told her.

"Brown fur cloth? We don't have any—gosh! I'll bet you're looking for the toys, what?"

He was.

BIG AGRICULTURAL IMPORT

Exceeds Exports for First Time in History, Even Excluding Forest Products.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—For the first time in history the imports of agricultural products into the United States exceeded the exports during the year ending June 30, 1923, the department of agriculture announced today.

This result was reached by a large increase in imports and a slight decrease in exports.

Imports, including forest products, for the year ending June 30, were valued at $2,315,000,000 while corresponding exports were set at $1,927,000,000.

Excluding forest products, the imports were $1,903,000,000 and the exports $1,799,000,000.

KILL 500 MEXICAN REBELS

Capture of Puebla by Federal Troops Also Attended by Capture of Two Thousand.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Dispatches received here today by the Mexican embassy, with further details of the federal capture of Puebla Saturday stated that over 500 rebels were killed and 2,000 taken prisoner. Rebel forces under General Estrada attacked the city of Tepic but were repulsed by the federal garrison, the dispatches said.

CARD DELAYED EIGHT YEARS.

WAUKEGAN, Ill., Dec. 24.—A postcard announced the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. James Callahan.

Mrs. Albert Fineal called to offer congratulations.

"And how is the dear little fellow?" she inquired.

"Fine," replied the father. "He weighs sixty-two pounds and has had his eighth birthday."

Mrs. Fineal scanned the postcard. It was dated May 29, 1915.

DR. COOK WILL CARVE.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Dec. 24.—Instead of cutting oil stock dividend melons, Dr. Frederick A. Cook, convicted of oil frauds, will carve the Christmas turkey in the Terrant county jail, when he and the other prisoners partake of the county's Christmas dinner.

MELLON SEES GOOD YEAR.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 24.—"The business outlook for 1924 seems most encouraging," Andrew W. Mellon, secretary of the treasury, declared on his arrival home to spend the holidays.

"Nineteen-twenty-four promises to be a good twelve months for business," he said.

LET LOOSE FOR CHRISTMAS.

DUBLIN, Dec. 24. — Thirty-five hundred republican prisoners were released from internment camps today as a Christmas concession. Eamonn de Valerawas among those not released.

QUARTER MILLION BONUS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—More than $250,000 was distributed today among 2,200 employes ofthe Brooklyn Edison company in the form of a gift of 3 per cent of each employe's annual salary.

CLEAR AND COLD FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Clear and cold weather everywhere east of the Mississippi river except northern New York and northern New England, was forecast for Christmas day by the weather bureau here today.

SHORTER AND TIGHTER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—"They're wearing 'em shorter and tighter," was the laconic reply of Miss Helen Fox, fashion writer, just returned from Paris, when asked about skirts.

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HOURLY TEMPERATURES.

[illegible]

J. F. MOORE IN FATAL CRASH

OMAHA, Dec. 24.—J. F. Moore, air mail pilot, was fatally injured when his plane crashed at Egbert, Wyo., thirty-five miles from Cheyenne today, according to information received at the Omaha air field.

Moore's chest was crushed and his back broken by the fall. He was rushed to a hospital at Burns, Wyo., where he died a few hours after the accident.

The crash was witnessed by section hands working on railroad tracks nearby. Moore was flying low when his machine crashed, according to witnesses. The cause of the crash was unknown here.

GIRL ACCUSES SON OF RABBI

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 24.—Harry Deutsch, nineteen, son of Rabbi Frank Deutch, faced charges in court here today of making caveman love to a sweetheart who jilted him four months ago.

The charge is the end of a romance which began in the famous model village of "Daddy" William Reuben George, near Ithaca, N. Y.

The sweetheart, Miss Mary Clark, nineteen, told prosecutors she met young Deutsch when the latter became a villager, where she was employed as secretary in the "cabinet" of "Daddy" George.

Miss Clark explained to the prosecutor that the "village" has its own charter, city ordinances, mayor, council and cabinet and that its residents are boys and girls between sixteen and twenty, who are sent there by parents or by juvenile courts from all parts of the country.

The girl recently entered the Cleveland law school and charges that young Deutsch has insisted on seeing her even when he knew all was off between them.

The young man's father is a well known Jewish rabbi.

HALF MILLION TO DIVORCEE

OMAHA, Dec. 24.—A divorce settlement totaling close to $500,000 was recorded today when Dr. Elmer R. Porter was granted a divorce from his wife, Mary, on a cruelty complaint. The couple have been separated five years and Mrs. Porter did not contest the action.

According to terms of settlement Mrs. Porter is to receive a fashionable apartment house valued at $350,000, $2,000 in cash, and all of Dr. Porter's life insurance.

The three sons who are left in her custody are to receive $100 a month each for their education.

BERLIN TRADE ON GOLD BASIS

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—That the paper mark will ultimately disappear from Germany is the prediction of Ewald Kretschmar, director of the Hotel Bristol in Berlin, made in a letter received by Brigadier General J. Leslie Kincaid, vice president of the United States Hotels company. Kretschmar, who is one of the best known hotel men in Europe, says:

"For about four weeks our hotels and restaurants have been making up their bills in gold marks. (The gold marks being always reckoned on the basis of 4.20 for the dollar.)

"Bye and bye the paper mark will disappear altogether and within a short tim ewe shall have sufficient stable money to cover the needs of the business people."

KLANSMEN IN LIQUOR RAIDS

MARION, Ill., Dec. 24.—Arrests in the liquor raids over every section of "bloody Williamson" county late today totalled 136 with one liquor suspect in a dying condition in a jail at Herrin, scene of the Lester strip mine riots.

More than 400 members of the ku klux klan participated in the raids, which were staged under the direction of federal dry agents in all sections of the country at once, federal agents said.

Ammeto Terherebo was shot three times when he attempted to resist arrest at a roadhouse near Freeman. He is in a critical condition.

Three other men, slightly wounded in similar scuffles, were released from hospitals today after their wounds were dressed.

BRITISH AND FRENCH OPEN GOLF CHAMPIONS HERE TO TEST THEIR SKILL AGAINST AMERICA'S EXPERT



Left to right are James Ockenden [illegible] title, and Arthur Gladstone Havers, [illegible]. Havers is the youngest golfer to win the British title [illegible] twenty-five. He will [illegible] on the Pacific coast for the [illegible] Ockenden and Havers will play exhibitions on southern and western courses.

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BALLOON ADRIFT OVER TUNIS

The Journal Wishes You a Merry Christmas

CAN'T FIND BOOZE LIST

Washington Violators Safe for the Present.

SENATE MAY DEMAND SEARCH

Bootleggers' Customer List Has 1,400 Names.

Alleged to Include Cabinet Members, Congressmen, Officials and Many Socially Prominent Persons.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Mystery surrounding the whereabouts of a list of 1,400 customers of a well organized bootlegger synidicate here today roused both wets and drys to new demands that the list be produced and made public.

The customers list, seized when headquarters of the synidicate in a downtown office building were raided, contained the names, according to police of cabinet members, congressmen, other government officials and hundreds of persons socially well known.

Demand for its publication followed as local authorities prepared to submit to the grand jury the cases of thirteen persons arrested in connection with the syndicate's operations. Senator Sheppard, Texas, dry leader, Wayne B. Wheeler of the anti-saloon league, and Col William A Stayton, head of the association against the prohibition amendment, all demanded that the list be made public to disclose whether it was true government officials were violating prohibition laws.

Local police who co-operated with prohibition agents in making the arrests, said they turned over a customers list to the internal revenue bureau. Revenue officals denied they had such a list and called it a myth.

If the list is not produced or its publication admitted, Senator Sheppard will ask the senate to investigate its concealment.

Denial that there was a list followed closely a threat by Assistant District Attorney Presmont to ask grand jury indictment of those whose names appeared as customers of the syndicate. Purchasers as well as sellers will be prosecuted.

RACE WITH TRAIN FATAL

Four Killed When Automobile Driver Races Passenger Train for Crossing.

HARTSDALE, Ind., Dec. 24.—An inquest was started today into the death of a family of four, killed near here late Saturday night when a Pennsylvania passenger train demolished their car The dead:

Michael Somelov, thirty, his young wife: Theresa, aged four, and Albert, six, their children.

Somelov attempted to beat the train to the crossing, police were told. The car was hurled fifty feet.

THREE KILLED IN WRECK

Meet Death When Interurban Car Hits Automobile Near Danville, Ill.

DANVILLE, Ill., Dec.—Three persons were dead and one is dying as the result of their car being wrecked by an Illinois traction interurban here yesterday. The dead are Margaret Peyton, Edith Schramm and Robert Henry, all of Danville.

Harlan Peyton, brother of Margaret, will die, physicians said.

RAIDS FORTY BLIND PIGS

METHODIST MINISTER AT JOLIET CONDUCTS DRIVE.

Leads Squad of Twenty-two Dry Agents From Chicago, Who Arrest Dozen Proprietors and Confiscate Hooch.

JOLIET, Ill., Dec. 24.—A declaration of war until every bootlegger is routed out of this section was made by the Rev. Henry E. Rompel, pastor of the first Methodist church here, following his personally conducted raids on two score saloons in and around Joliet early Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Rompel planned his raids in the study of his church here and led twenty two dry agents from Chicago on the roundup.

[illegible] of men and women were ejected from the saloons and nearly a dozen proprietors and [illegible] were arrested. A large quantity of liquor was confiscated.

The dry agents slipped into Joliet Saturday night and went into conference with the pastor. Rev. Mr. Rompel told them where liquor was being sold. He led the agents into [illegible] squads and directed the raids. No resistance was offered at any point.

"We will keep on raiding until [illegible]

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ALLEY CAT NEVER BEATEN IN SHOWS



Mme. Frieda Hempel, noted opera singer, is shown here with Lucky, a waif alley cat she rescued from the Bide-a-Wee home for animals in New York. The maltese, aged thirteen has never been beaten in a cat show in which it has been exhibited.

HEAVY MAIL BEING MOVED

NO CONGESTION OF BUSINESS IN THIS TERRITORY.

Expedition With Which Traffic Is Being Handled Pleasing to Those in Charge of the Work.

A heavy mail movement is being handled without loss of time and without a sign of congestion in this part of the country. Railroad men say the movement is as heavy and perhaps heavier than ever before, but because it has been handled without delay and without business piling up at the terminals that its great volume has escaped notice. Rail men are especially pleased with the manner in which business has moved from and thru the Lincoln postoffice.

Emphasizing the fact that a great business is being moved with little or no delay and that the volume is heavy, it is pointed out that Saturday evening one westbound mail train carried six solid carloads of mail; that most trains have carried extra cars of mail and that the mail has moved as it has been received, no delays in handling it in transit being shown.

Christmas passenger business continued heavy with the railroads Monday and will continue until the late morning trains have gone Christmas day. The returning rush will not be so noticeable, the return trips being spread over a longer period.

Approximately 175,000 letters were handled Saturday. Sunday 45,000 went thru the office.

ACCIDENTAL SHOT FATAL

John Nelson Crossley of Falls City Is Second Victim Within a Week.

FALLS CITY, Neb., Dec. 24.—The hunting took its second victim within a week in Richardson county when John Nelson Crossley, twenty-eight, overseas veteran, accidentally shot and killed himself as he slipped from a log while crossing Pony creek, five and a half miles southwest of Falls City.

Merle Smith of Stella was killed in a similar manner a week previous. Mr Crossley's body was found in the creek at 3:30 p m Sunday by a searching party which had been organized at the behest of the alarmed wife. It is believed that he jolted the gun against the log in an effort to keep from slipping and that the gun became discharged, the ball lodging in his brain. Crossley was a member of company D 134th infantry, and served more than a year in France. The Falls City post of the American Legion will probably have charge of services, which will be held Tuesday.

STOLE CHICKENS AND DOG

The theft of thirty chickens and a shepherd dog was reported to the sheriff's office Monday morning by Mrs. E. M. Elliott whose farm home is located south of Havelock. Mrs. Elliott told the officers that she was not at home early last evening and when she returned she closed the door of the chicken house but did not notice whether or not her chickens were still there. The loss was not discovered until this morning. No clues as to the identity of the thieves have yet been found by the officers.

NEW RATES FOR TOWNS

ORDER OF FEDERAL COMMISSION IS DIGESTED.

Three Central Jobbing Stations Get Better Treatment, While Old Differential Territory Not Disturbed.

A copy of the order of the interstate commerce commission upholding the jobbers of Columbus, Hastings and Grand Island in their contention that under the old order of things they were being discriminated against and in favor of competitors is now in possession of Secretary Whitten of the chamber of commerce.

Mr. Whitten finds that the commission makes no effort to disturb the old differential territory This comprises the city of Lincoln, Fremont and Beatrice, which are equalized on in and outbound shipments with Omaha and other Missouri river points. The commission points out that this differential territory has been in existance for about thirty-five years and that in making the new rates for the complaining cities it did not consider the relationships these had created and which had been so long maintained.

Further than that it would not seek to disturb these without giving the cinties affected a hearing and have before it a full and complete record. What it does is to relieve the discrimination against the three cities of Grand Island, Hastings and Columbus by giving them specific rates on all shipments originating east of the Illinoise and Indiana state lines, in Chicago, in St. Louis and St. Louis points territory.

The existing rates to the three complainants were based on the lowest rates to Missouri river points and differential territory, plus local rates. Under the new specific rates in carload inbound traffic, which is most of the class stuff, the reductions from St. Louis to the three cities on 5th class is from 66 1-2 to 58 and from Chicago the cut is from 74 1-2 to 66 cnets, with corresponding reductions in the other classes.

From Chicago these reductions are: Class E, 1 1-2 cents; Class D, 6 cents; Class C, 6 cents; class B, 3 cents; class A, 4 cents.

From St Louis—Reductions are: Fifth class, 8 1 2 cents, Class A, 4 cents; Class B 3 cents; Class C, 6 cents; Class D, 6 cents; Class E, 1 1-2 cents.

The net result of the whole readjustment is that while the old relationships are not disturbed in the eastern Nebraska differential territory these three complainant cities get a material reduction, to which the other jobbing centers make no objection and to which, so far as Lincoln is concerned, it is conceded they are entitled to have.

DINNERS GIVEN TO EVERYBODY

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Six thousand Christmas dinners——enough for 20,000 persons—were distributed to Chicago's poor today while the Wieboldt foundation announced its Christmas present would be the distribution of $158,000 to Chicago charities.

TO LEGISLATE PRICE OF GAS

LAFOLETTE DRAWING UP BILL FOR CONGRESS.

Would Reorganize Oil Companies to Eliminate Waste, and Let Government Supervise Prices.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Legislation to lower the cost of gasoline will be pressed for passage in congress as soon as the Christmas holidays are over. Senator La Follette, progressive leader is drawing up a bill, it was learned today.

La Follette would reorganize the big oil and gas companies so that present wastes would be eliminated and the government would have supervision over prices.

The La Follette bill is being founded upon evidence uncovered at the extensive hearings conducted by the senate manufacturers committee at the last session of congress.

NINETY-EIGHTH CHRISTMAS

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Mrs. Lucinda Rodgers will celebrate her ninety-eighth Christmas tomorrow at her home here. [illegible] and keeping up with the times is her [illegible] of life, she said. She was born in Denmark, N. Y. and is the last of nine children.



FARLEY YOUNG

Who has been appointed assistant county attorney to succeed L. R. Doyle resigned

NEW BISHOP OF LINCOLN

CINCINNATI MAN IS TO HAVE CHARGE HERE.

Announcement From Rome Was Sent Out the Day Before Christmas to the Catholics Here.

ROME, Dec. 24.—Monsignor Deckmann was appointed bishop of Lincoln today.

OMAHA, Dec. 24. — Monsignor Franklin Deckmann, named bishop of Lincoln by the pope, is now president of St. Mary's-of-the-West seminary located at Cincinnati, O., according to Archbishop J. J. Harty.

The church directories give the name of the president of St. Mary's seminary at Cincinnati as Monsignor Franklin J. Beckmann.

Lincoln diocese has been without a bishop since February 4, 1923, when Bishop O'Reilly passed away. Father M. A. Shine of Plattsmouth was at once appointed administrator and is still in charge of diocesan affairs. It is not unusual, according to Father P. L. O'Loughlin, rector of the Cathedral in Lincoln, to have six months or a year elapse before Rome takes action in announcing a bishop to a vacant episcopate. In the meantime, a list of suitable priests for such advancement are sent from each diocese to the pope and his advisers. Sufficient time is taken to investigate the record and qulification of possible candidates and to choose the one considered most suitable for the particular branch of church work.

COMPANY TAKES AN APPEAL

Wants Dceision on Point of Who Is Owner of Money Due for Fire Damage.

The Fidelity-Phenix insurance company of New York is asking the supreme court to interpret the insurance code of the state to find out if, when it issues a policy to a man on a homestead jointly occupied by himself and wife, the latter can claim the proceeds when a fire occurs and the damage is ascertained.

Robert Shanahan and his wife occupied a house in Nebraska City, upon which in 1920, the company issued a policy of $2,000. In April last a fire occurred, and the adjuster made a settlement with Shanahan and was about to pay him $279.05 when Mrs. Shanahan intervened with an injunction suit. She said that when the settlement was made she and Shanahan were living apart, and that he intended to put the insurance money in his jeans and leave the house, in which she still lived unrepaired, whereby she would lose her homestead rights. She attacked the settlement, and claimed the damage was actually $[illegible]. The jury that tried the case gave her $608.[illegible]

The company insisted that the policy was issued to Shanahan and that all that it insured was the interest he had therein and that it had not insured the interest of the wife. The latter said she paid the premium, and was assured by the agent who knew of her homestead interest that if a loss occurred the money would be used in repairing the damage. The court submitted this to the jury which found for the woman.

NAMES NEW ASSISTANT

FARLEY YOUNG APPOINTED TO SUCCEED LUM DOYLE.

County Commissioners Endorse Him for Position—Was Graduated From University Law School in 1921.

Farley Young was appointed to the post of assistant county attorney to succeed L. R. Doyle, by County Attorney Matson Monday forenoon, following a meeting of the county commissioners who heartily endorsed Mr Young for the position

Mr Young is a Lincoln product in every sense of the word, having been born, reared and educated in this city. He was graduated from the law school of Nebraska university in 1921 and was admitted to the bar that same year. Since then he has engaged in the practice of law at the Lancaster county bar.

During the war Mr. Young served as a wireless operator and telephony expert on a sub chaser in the English channel. With the close of the war in 1918 he reentered law school and took an active part in university activities. He first gained prominence on the Husker football squad in 1917. He played with the "varsity" three years, '17, '19 and '20.

Mr. Doyle, who preceded Mr. Young in the office, in expressing his regret in leaving the office, wrote the following letter to his chief:

December 22, 1923

Charles E Matson, County Attorney, City.

Dear Charlie: I cannot leave the county attorney's office without expressing my sincerest appreciation of the great favor you conferred upon me by making me assistant county attorney.

Twenty-two months have gone by since I took up my duties in the office and the experience gained and the development made during that time will be attributed to your extreme kindness in favoring me. The associations in the office have been most pleasant and it is with considerable regret that I leave the close connection with you and Max.

I trust that in leaving I will not be forgotten and that our friendship will always endure.

The date of my resignation is to be effective from and after today.

L. R. DOYLE.

Mr. Doyle is leaving to assume his duties as counsel for the Union Automobile Insurance company and to devote more time to his private practice.

OFFICER HELD FOR MURDER

Patrolman Said to Have Been Drunk When He Shot Wealthy Chicago Transfer Man.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—John Degman, thirty-two, wealthy Chicago transfer man, was shot and killed by Patrolman John L Coleman here early today. Coleman is held on charges of murder.

Witnesses said Coleman was drunk and shot Degman as the latter drove by a restaurant in his automobile. Coleman denied he was drunk and said he fired to stop a pistol duel between Degman and the occupants of a small car who pursued him.

VENIZELOS WON'T COME

FORMER PREMIER OF GREECE IGNORES INVITATION.

In Paris With New Bride, Turns Deaf Ear to Fellow Countrymen Imploring His Aid in Crisis.

ATHENS, Dec. 24.—Eleutherios Venizelos, former premier and virtual dictator of Greece, is reported in private messages from Paris to have refused to return to Athens and assume leadership of his country in the present crisis.

Appeals to Venizelos who is in Paris with a newly acquired bride to come back to the land which once banished him were sent following the expulsion of King George and Queen Elizabeth and the successes of republicans and Venizelists in the national elections.

PREMIUM ON LAW BREAKING

BERLIN (By Mail).—Behind the prevalent bootlegging of money stand the great industrialists of Germany. The government and the reichsbank thru artificial regulations concerning the currency have put a premium on law breaking. As the bank allows industrialists only a small amount of foreign currencies each day, the industrialists [illegible] their paper marks to small banks or private bootleggers with instructions to gather as much foreign money as possible, offering of course more than the official rate for the coveted foreign notes.

REAL CRISIS IN BERLIN.

BERLIN, Dec. 24.—This is serious. When Berliners set out on their last minute Christmas shopping in the markets they found the price of the tiniest sprig of mistletoe, traditional precursor of osculation, was $1, a sum practically unattainable to most.

THE WEATHER.

For Lincoln and vicinity: Fair tonight and Tuesday, not much change in temperature. The minimum temperature tonight will be near 25 degrees.

For Nebraska Unsettled tonight, somewhat colder extreme west portion, Tuesday fair.

OMAHA, Dec. 24.—There is no prospect for snow in any part of Nebraska this Christmas, Forecaster Robins said today. Instead, spring weather will prevail thruout the state

CUBA SENDS FIRST ENVOY.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24. — Dr. Cosme de la Torriente has taken up his official residence in Washington as the first ambassador ever appointed by Cuba to the United States. The Cuban diplomatic representative in this capital has heretofore ranked as a minister. The change in status followed action of the United States congress in raising the United States representative at Havana to rank of ambassador and a similar action by the Cuban congress.

CHRISTMAS OBSERVANCE

USUAL PROGRAMS IN LINCOLN'S CHURCHES THIS YEAR.

Carol Choirs to Carry Christmas Cheer in the Early Morning Hours to the Shutins of the City.

Christmas eve will be generally observed among the churches either with services or Sunday school celebrations. Groups will also go out early Christmas morning to carry glad message by singing Christmas carols. A volunteer carol choir will meet at 4 a. m. Tuesday at Grace English Lutheran, Fourteenth and F to awaken the shut-ins of the congregation and others with songs of the birth of Christ. Carols will be sung by the high school endeavor class of the First-Plymouth Congregational the class meeting at the church Tuesday at 5 a. m. At the Church of Our Redeemer, Lutheran, Twelfth and D, the choir will sing carols from midnight to 6 a. m. Tuesday in connection with candlelight services. The Shriners patrol will sing carols beginning at 11 p. m. Monday, making the rounds of the state institutions and hospitals Many Christmas baskets will be distributed and offerings taken for the needy at home or the destitute children overseas.

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES

Midnight mass will be celebrated at most of the Catholic churches. At the cathedral of St. Mary, of which Rev. P. L. O'Loughlin is pastor, Christmas services will begin Monday with solemn high mass at midnight and a program by the cathedral school choir. Father O'Loughlin will be celebrant and will deliver a sermon, Father Grogan, deacon and Father Kenny, sub-deacon. J. C. Norman Richards is the Organist. The music will include the mass in honor of St. Dominic by Hamma, Gounod's "Sanctus," and the offeratory "Jesu Redemptor," by Yon. The two hymns before mass will be, "And There Were Shepherds" by Danks, and "The Birthday of a King" by Neidlinger.

At the Blessed Sacrament, 2015 South Sixteenth, high mass at midnight Leesch's mass will be sung by the choir, assisted by an orchestra which will play an overture before mass and a march afterwards. A special Adeste will be sung. Lawrence Farrell is choirmaster.

Sacred Heart, Twenty-fifth and Y, Rev. Adrian Sharkey, Pastor. At midnight Christmas eve, Rosewig's mass in F will be sung.

St. Francis de Sales, Eighteenth and J, Rev. Casimir Inerisch pastor. Midnight mass.

Church of the Holy Trinity, Episcopal, Twelfth and J. Midnight eucharist, beginning at 11:30 p. m. Monday, and preceded by fifteen minutes of carols. The choir of thirty-five voices including the regular quartet composed of Miss Seamark, M. Wittman, Mr. Lewis and L. J. Strain will be assisted by Miss Ella Burke, soprano and H. E. Gray, tenor, in the following program:

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FRENCH DIRIGIBLE IS PREY OF STORM

Out of Gasoline, With Many of Crew Ill, Seeks Landing.

ADRIFT OVER NORTH AFRICA

French Warships Speeding South to Give Aid.

RADIO APPARATUS CRIPPLED

Winter Gales From Northwest Swept Giant Craft From Her Course Two Days After Leaving Toulon.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—At 4 p. m. the ministry of marine was still without word from the dirigible Dixmude, which is drifting helplessly in the grip of Mediterranean storms near the gulf of Gabes, unable to land.

The ministry regards the situation as disquieting. Reports last night from the Dixmunds were to the effect that her commander would try to land at Medenine.

The storms which whirled the giant airship from her course and kept her aloft since Tuesday are the most severe in years. Many fishing vessels have been tossed ashore and it is feared more than two hundred persons have been drowned. One hundred and eighty-six persons, crews of fishing and other vessels, are missing from Barcelona alone.

TUNIS, Dec. 24.—Prisoners of the sky—held aloft the playthings of tempests for four days, fifty-seven members of the crew of giant French naval dirigible Dixmude, attempted desperately to bring their huge craft to earth in northeast Africa today.

With its fuel exhausted and its crew, many of whom are ill, subsisting on crumbs of rations that gave out several days ago, the former German airship handed over since the war, had been hovering helplessly over the gulf of Gabes.

The Dixmude flew from Toulon, France, on a sixty hour cruise of the northern coast of Africa, last Tuesday. For two days all went well. Then winter gales, roaring from the northwest whirled the dirigible from its course.

Pride of France's air navy, with many records for speed and endurance the graceful Dixmude was helpless in the grip of the tempests. Her propellers that could drive her seventy miles an hour whirred impotently as the gales drove the air ship eastward, towards the open sea.

The fate that has overtaken so many gallant officers and men of the allies who have taken charge of gigantic German mechanical contrivances, the spoils of the world war, seemed in store for the Dixmude's crew.

The airship was enroute for Biskra, having cruised over a bit of the Sahara, when the winds took her in charge.

Blown towards Medenine at the rate of twenty kilometers an hour, despite efforts of her engines to send her against the gale, the Dix-

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BIG RAID ON WEST BORDER

OFFICERS FROM TWO STATES IN CONFISCATING PARTY.

More Than Two Hundred Gallons of Moonshine Intended for Sale in Nebraska Destroyed by Members of Band.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 24.—Colorado and Nebraska agents joined hands Saturday morning when they raided the Reuter ranch lying partly in Nebraska and partly in Colorado about half way between Sidney, Neb., and Sterling, Colo., and discovered 220 gallons of moonshine whiskey intended, officers say, for Christmas delivery in Sidney. They also found 400 gallons of mash and a forty gallon still.

The raiding party consisted of sheriffs McDaniel of Sidney and Powell of Sterling, six deputies and C. W. Goddard, federal prohibition agent. The officers went heavily armed because of a recent gun battle between bootleggers and the Nebraska agents. They surrounded the ranch about dawn before Reuter was up. They routed him out of bed, displayed their search warrants from Nebraska, Colorado and one from Uncle Sam and ransacked the house from top to bottom without finding anything that looked like booze.

The searchers then divided into two parties and looked over the snow covered ranch. Efforts were finally rewarded when one of the group found a cave on the Colorado side of the land which contained not only the whiskey but the mash and the still.

STAHL AND LANDGREN FILE

Democratic Candidates for Delegate in the Fourth District Present Necessary Petitions.

Vincent E. Stahl of Seward and George Landgren of Shickley, democratic candidates for delegate from the Fourth congressional district have pooled their issues and both have filed petitions with the secretary of state asking that their names be placed upon the primary ballot next April. Each candidate for delegate is required ot obtain 500 petitioners distributed among two-thirds of the counties of the district. Mr. Stahl is secretary to the secretary of the state department of agriculture.

Bern R. Coulter, an attorney of Bridgeport, has filed his personal nomination as a republican candidate for member of the legislature in the Ninety-sixth representative district

DAGGERS ARE NOW SHELVED

PEACE ON EARTH AND GOOD WILL AT CITY HALL.

Commissioners Dayton and Cowgill Wish Each Other Very Merry Christmas Tho It Is in Formal Manner.

Peace on earth and good will at the city hall. Executives, administrators, legislators, customers, employes and loafers were stuuned Monday morning when Commissioners Dayton and Cowgill wished each other a merry Christmas. It was done in a formal manner and upon neutral soil. Mr. Cowgill dropped down from his third floor office as the by pre-arrangement. Mr. Dayton dropped up from his main floor office and they met in the second floor lobby.

They did not rush madly or gladly at each other's neckties. Mr. Dayton backed from the center of the arena toward the elevator and Mr. Cowgill skidded away toward the great doors leading to the clerk's office. The two men whirled and faced each other.

"I wish you a merry Christmas, Mr. Cowgill," said the finance head.

"Thank you Mr. Dayton, I wish you a merry Christmas."

The two men then walked in opposite directions and the incididient was closed. The exchange of greetings was taken to indicate that Monday would be a day of good will among councilmen. Mr. Cowgill was expected to lay off his new government plan at the afternoon meeting. He indicated that he would not offer comment on so-called semi-honorary positions which he often refers to. The meanest thing he said was that he doesn't like the city's stationery because of the picture of the city hall at the very top of each sheet.

"Small town stuff," he said.

The Christmas spirit so filled his veins that he was ready to propose a city party to be held annually for the sake of sociability among men and women who work under one roof.

ORDERS MOTHER'S RETURN

Judge Told Divorced Parents to Spend Christmas With Little Son and Must Be Obeyed.

OMAHA, Dec 24.—When Judge L. B. Day recently divorced Mr. and Mrs Ralph Newhouse, he made the provision that both should spend their Christmases together with their two year-old son, Donald.

Newhouse today completed preparations for a big dinner tomorrow, only to learn that his former wife had left for Kansas City to spend the holidays with friends.

He informed Judge Day, who immediately ordered Mrs. Newhouse by wire to return and fulfill her obligations to the child.

"Heaven help her if she isn't here tomorrow," Judge Day said.

SCRAPPING BATTLESHIPS.

PHILADELPHIA (By Mail). — Work of scrapping three of Uncle Sam's large battleships, the Michigan, Minnesota and Arkansas, is now under way at the Philadelphia navy yard. Junk from the great ships once the pride of the navy, will yield the government approximately $175,000 more than the ships would have produced if sold to the highest private bidders.

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KEEP TRUCE IN CHURCHES

TENDER POINTS NOT TOUCHED IN SUNDAY SERMONS.

Dr. William Norman Guthrie Promises a Manifesto That Will Renew Discussions After Christmas.

NEW YORK, Dec 24—Modernists and fundamentalists in the war which has been rending the Protestant Episcopal church continued in armed truce today

Not a single pastor referred to the controversy of creed centering around the virgin birth of Christ is sermon yesterday

Obedient to the call of Bishop Manning of the diocese of New York for cessation of warfare over the Christmas holiday, liberals and conservatives alike laid down their heavy artillery and confined their pre-Christmas sermons to "safe" discussion of the faith

Some newspapers this morning accused Dr Leighton Parks, rector of St Bartholomew's church of breaking the truce by distributing copies of his sermon of December 16 which aided in bringing the controversey to head, in his church yesterday, but church men generally did not believe the pastor guilty, as his controversal utterances were not made from the pulpit

Dr William Norman Guthrie, pastor of St. Marks in the Bouwrie and Dr Percy Stickney Grant, both leaders in the modernist cause, were silent on controversial themes

Dr Guthrie promised however, that he will issue a manifesto on the purposes and aims of St. Marks which will "arouse discussion"

Renewal of warfare with the opening of 1924 appeared certain, as the modernists all expressed determination not to back down before the attack of the bishops

Dr Parks printed form of his controversial sermon of December 16 carried a preliminary explanation and an addenda in which he questioned scholarship of the bishops, asserting the doctrine of the "virgin birth has been clamped on the church" as development of belief in the original sin

COLUMBUS. O, Dec 24—Both sides of the modernist-fundamentalist controversy were defended from the pulpits in Sunday sermons here.

Rev. Dr Sidney Sweet, modernist rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, told his congregation the present controversy has sharpened ecclesiastical wits and turned more attention to the Bible.

"More people are studying religion," he said A great good which we hope will come from the controversy is a broader Christian church"

Rev H A Thompson, fundamentalist pastor of the Glen Echo United Presbyterian church, upheld the virgin birth of Christ.

"Jesus Christ came to save people from their sins," said ev. Mr Thompson, "He could not be a Savior if he was in any degree under the power of sin in His own person. He might have been a leader or a great teacher only as a man, but to be a Savior He must have been born of a virgin"

HELEN HAMILTON IS DEAD

Victim of Heart Rupture Eight Years Ago Dies Shortly After Thirteenth Birthday.

CAMDEN, N. J, Dec. 24—Helen Hamilton is dead.

The child whose prayer for eight years has been that she would live to attain her thirteenth birthday, died yesterday in happiness—her desire attained.

Death for the little girl came peacefully and in quiet resignation. She had suffered since she was five years old, when a heart rupture resulted from the mischief of playmates who buried her in a sand pile

The thirteenth birthday came on November 26 and attracted nation-wide attention and sympathy.

Santa Claus paid Helen an early visit last week and left the sufferer a Christmas tree beautifully decorated. With the holiday spirit pervading the girl rallied, only to suffer a relapse

"Mother, bury me in white satin with white satin slippers," was Helen's last request. The child was conscious almost to the end Hugging her dolly, she watched her tiny wrist watch, slowly tick away life. Just before she died she opened her eyes and prayed," Jesus, take me."

During her long confinement Helen fought bravely for life, despite the fact that physicians told her it would only be a little while before she would pass away

She will be buried Wednesday.

OBITUARY.

John Zimmerer.

SEWARD Neb Dec 24—Born in Frittlingen, Wuertenberg Germany January 22 1856 died December 17 1923 age sixty years, ten months and twenty five days. He came to America when fourteen years of age, and first made his home in Nebraska City In 1875 his brother Anton Zimmerer and brother-in-law William Bischof, established a hardware business in Seward placing John Zimmerer in charge.

In the spring of 1881 he was married to [illegible] Sand of Nebraska City. In 188[illegible] he bought out the firm of Zimmerer & Bischof conducting the business at Seward [illegible] 1900 and four years ater sold his interest to Fred Diez when the firm of Rupp & Diez was established

Always interested in the civic affairs of Seward he served as councilman and twice as mayor As president of the First National bank, Seward Equitable Building & Loan association and the Mutual Protective Fire association he contributed wisely and with broad vision to the making of these institutions towers of strength in the community

He was one of the charter members of St Vincent's Catholic church and [illegible] was ever a faithful member and always lived as a true Christian citizen.

He was a man of means honest [illegible] and [illegible] for the welfare of [illegible] community and in his residence of over fifty years in Seward he has always been a [illegible] public spirited and progressive [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] work in the community which has not [illegible] by his kindly help and sound wisdom. After retiring from active business he [illegible]

There was no worthy cause which he did not [illegible] Y M C A Salvation Army [illegible] Seward [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the passing of this man of stalwart character broad vision high ideals and fine Christian [illegible] Every business house in Seward was closed during the services at the church after which final burial was had at Nebraska City His widow and son, John F Zimmerer survives him The whole community mourns his passing.



AFTER THE HONEYMOON

A NEW "MARRIED LIFE" SERIES

—By Fay Stevenson   Copyright, 1923, Press Publishing Company

The Domestic Rainbow

It was no small matter to break the news to the new maid that she must go Sylvia dreaded the ordeal and yet she and Alan had decided that this was the thing to do Joyce Butler must find out that she was to play no part in running their household

Mary Ellen was glum the next morning She burned the toast and boiled the eggs too long. Sylvia decided to wait until Alan went to the office before giving her two weeks notice

But the notice came from Mary-Ellen herself. "I'm sorry ma'm," she said, "but I'm leaving two weeks from Monday I have a new place in view with $80 a month and in the suburbs. I can't stand these small apartments Seems as if I couldn't breathe"

"That's all right, Mary-Ellen," joyishly responded Sylvia "That's very kind of you," she said, "I would like to visit my sister in New Jersey"

Sylvia breathed a sigh of relief, it was so much easier than she had expected She longed to be back in the kitchen to polish her new silver and to care for her fine pieces of china

While she was rejoicing over her good fortune, Joyce Butler appeared to tote her off to another shopping tour

"No, I'm going to stay home and arrange my wardrobe," declared Sylvia, "and look here Joyce, Mary Ellen's just given notice and I'm going to do all my own work from next week on"

"Six weeks later you'll come to me with red eyes and red hands and tell me how dragged out you feel It's no use to try to help some people. All right, paddle your own canoe!"

The telephone rang and Alan warned Sylvia that he was going to bring a friend home to dinner that night

"Come around to the market with me and help me select a good dinner," said Sylvia "This chap is a very fastidious person and I want to have everything perfectly correct"

"Who is he?"

"Oh, he's a bachelor pal of Alan's"

"Invite me to dinner," urged Joyce, "Bill's out of town and besides you should have an even number at your dinner table always"

Sylvia was not very enthusiastic in her invitation but Joyce hung about the apartment all day She arranged the table, spent many moments over the flowers, prepared a special mayonnaise and concocted individual apple pies which outdid the most exclusive caterer's

"Everything is perfectly charming," she announced before the guest arrived "Now let's all be as silly as we can"

Tomorror—Alan's Bachelor Friend

SIDE TALKS

(By Ruth Cameron)

An Ideal Christmas.

Let it go.

Relax

Remember that Christmas should be a time of unusual tenderness and jollity—not a time of utter weariness and frayed nerves and irritability.

Self-Hypnotized

I don't know just what the "it" in the first paragraph stands for You do. It stands for the one, or half a dozen, little last things that you are trying to get done before tomorrow You have gotten in that state of mind where you have hypnotized yourself into a feeling that you must keep on doing just one more thing You must finish that table runner, and it would be such fun to send a box of your famous fondant candy to the clerk in the store who was so helpful to you when you were sick and had to shop by telephone and the tree ought to have a few more decorations, and there was one more Christmas letter you meant to write an ditwould be such fund to send a joke present to those jolly people you met last summer on your vacation And so it goes If the powers that be should put in an extra day between Christmas and the day before Christmas there are many people who have worked themselves into such a mental state that they would think up enough one more things to fill it

But Something Else Is Nicer

It would be nice of course to do all these little things But it would be nicer to be in a state of mind in which you could enjoy Christmas and help others to enjoy it

If you are going to be so tired that you feel as if you would just like to lie down and cry on Christmas day so frayed of nerves that you are cross to the children right in the midst of their Christmas happiness so fed up with the whole thing that you look with unenthusiastic eyes on your [illegible] gifts that last thing—or half dozen things—wasn't worth doing

Let it go

Relax

Get Away From Last Things

Lie down this afternoon [illegible] read some good light book, bathe and put on a pretty dress for dinner, play with the children go out to hear the Christmas carols [illegible] instead of sitting up [illegible] to finish that table runner. You [illegible] will forgive you if you finish it the week after Christmas

Yes I can hear you [illegible]

"That's all very well to talk that way, but if she knew what I've got to do"

I know just how you feel But I also know how you are going to feel tomorrow And if you could stand off and see the whole thing in perspective I feel sure you would agree with me that, hard as it may seem at the moment, it would pay to let some of those last things go

Tomorrow—Christmas Greetings.

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STANDS PAT ON RED FLAG

HUGHES SAYS HE WILL PROVE HIS CHARGES

Senate to Ask Information on Editorial Connecting Soviets With Red Propaganda in America

WASHINGTON, Dec 24—Secretary of States Hughes is determined to stand by the position he has taken regarding the connection of the Russian soviet government with revolutionary propaganda in the United States and to strike back at these attempting to prove his charges untrue, it appeared today

In response to inquiries the state department made known the disputed editorial by Steklof, editor of the official soviet organ Isvestia in Moscaw, which, according to Hughes admitted connection between the soviets and the communist internationale appeared in the Isvestia on December 7 1922

Hughes quoted this editorial in making public recently documents containing alleged instructions from the communist internationale for revolutionary propaganda in the United States These documents caused an attack on the secretary by progressives in the senate

Soon after publication of dispatches from Russia reporting denial by Steklof that he had written such an editorial, the state department made known that the editorial appeared on the first page of the Isvestia, under the signature of Steklof

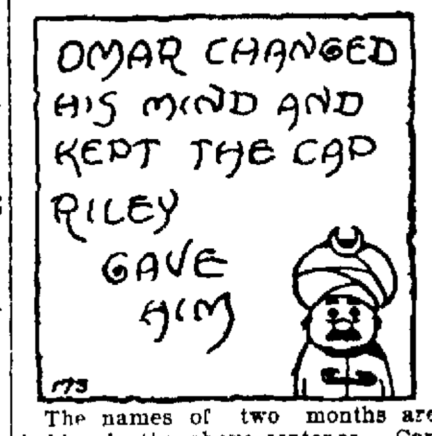
Senators favoring Russian recognition feel that Hughes has not yet given sufficient evidence that his charges of recent Russian propaganda in this country are true They will ask that the foreign relations committee get all the information Hughes has bearing on the soviet propaganda

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Warranty Deeds

Mary E Preece & h to Marion J Thompson & w L 16 B 13 Ridge way add	$ 400 00
Carl F Nelson & w to Helen K Boehmer L 10 B 12 Zehrung & Ames add	4 900 00
Henry P Lorenz & w to C F Nelson & w E 46 1-2 ft L 20 W W Holmes 2d sub	2,600 00
Emil F Boehmer & w to Henry P Lorenz L 10-11 B 1 E Lawn Terrace	1,300 00
Sara DeBolt and h to Edgar M Rav L 23 24 W 10 ft L 25 B 2 E Park add	1 00
W F Golt to M Roland L 2 B 2 Imhoff s add	4 500 00
Natl Sec Inv to Lute R. McAlpin L 20 B 9 E Lawn Terrace	750 00
John Liechner to Henry Traut L 9 B6 N Linc	1 550 00
Rathbone-Carpenter Co to Warren B Romans L 6 B 5 & part L 5 same 2nd Sheridan Park add	1 500 00
John F Wawbright & w to Elias Rosenbaum N 40 ft N 81 ft L 14 O Burlingame s sub	2 600 00
Claud E Shamp & w to John F Waybright same	2,600 00
Woods Bros S & M to Chas L L Lewis Woodsdale add	645 00
N A Kemmish & w to Ray D Hicks L 1 B 1 Houtz & Baldwin s sub	2 300 00
Lola D North & h to John R Holmes & w E 81 1-2 ft L 6 B 4 Pleas Hill sub	8,500 00
Carrie B Raymond to Thos P Lovney L 8 10 irreg tracts SW 1 4 SW 1-4 4 9-7	6 000 00

THE DAILY PUZZLETTE



The names of two months are hidden in the above sentence Can you find them?

The answer will be given tomorrow

Answer to Saturday's puzzle

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A	C	F	
	K		

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MARGARET WEAVER IN JAIL

Nurse Charged With Being Accessory to Murder of W S Coburn by Klan Official.

ATLANTA, Ga, Dec 24—Mrs Margaret Weaver, alleged accessory in the murder of W S Coburn, for which Phil E Fox, ku klux klan publicity director was sentenced to life imprisonment, was in jail here today

Abandoning her determination to fight extradition to Georgia Mrs Weaver was returned from Birmingham at midnight Solicitor General Boykin said the woman who is accused of being the "inspiration" for the murder will be tried early in January

Mrs Weaver, a pretty nurse, prepared to spend Christmas in jail She refused to talk about the Coburn killing She claimed she was in Chattanooga when the shooting occurred

Annual audit of books of the Hotel Jefferson St Louis, has revealed an apparent shortage of $12,000 in the accounts of Charles Frank auditor for the hotel.

NINE ESCAPE FROM A BURNING HOUSE

Nearly Asphyxiated in Des Moines Blaze Started by Firebrand Thrust in Thru Foundation Hole

DES MOINES, Ia, Dec 24—Nine persons narrowly escaped death from asphyxiation and flames when an attempt to set fire to the home of Mrs. Grace Brown nearly succeeded at 2.30 this morning

Removing some bricks from the foundation of the house a fire brand was thrust thru the opening where it set fire to the floor of the house The fire bug then crept under the floor of the house making his escape thru a cellar window

Smelling the smoke, Mrs Brown hurriedly awakened other members of the household and telephoned the fire department from a neighbors house.

Besides Mrs Brown, her ten year old child her sister and three children ranging in age from three months to six years her brother, her father and Mrs George Line were in the house

Police are investigating No arrests had been made this morning A man has been frequently seen hanging about the neighborhood according to neighbors questioned by police

Nebraskans Wed in Kansas

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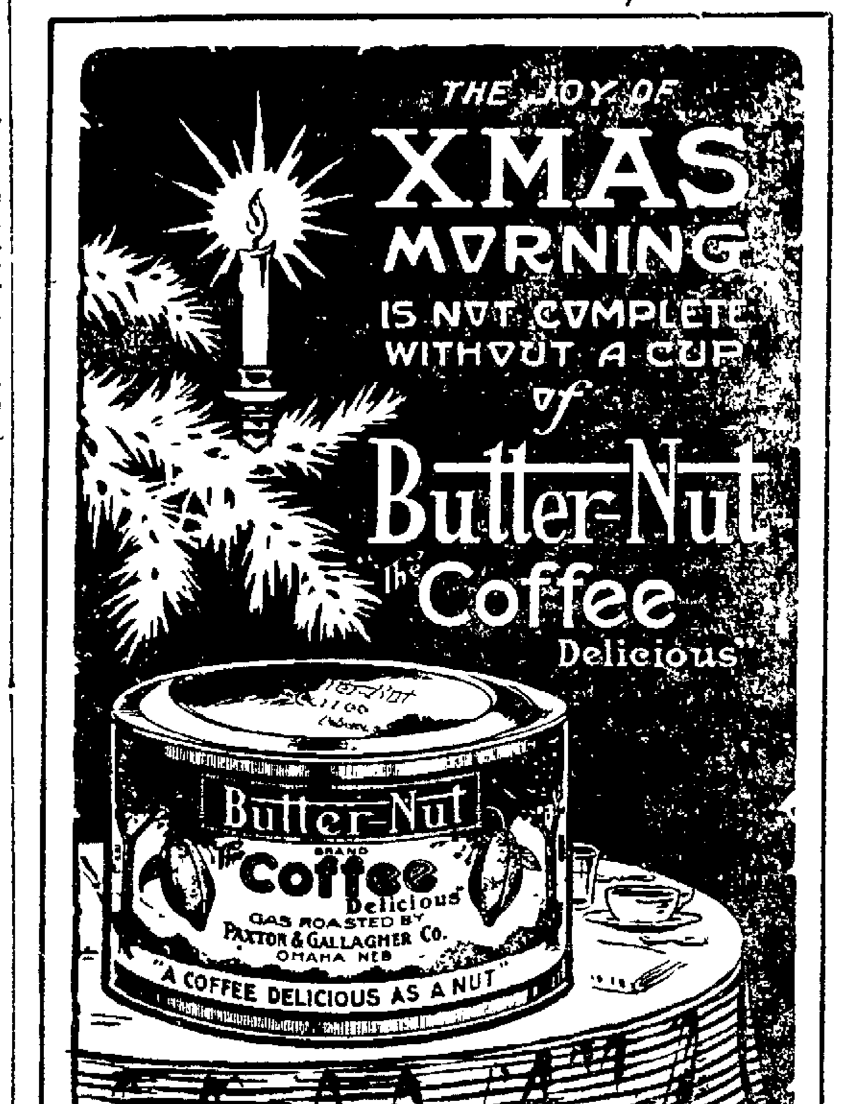
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STAR VAN MOVES MAN

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HOLIDAY SPECIALS

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EAGLE FRUIT STORE

S. E. Corner 10th & P



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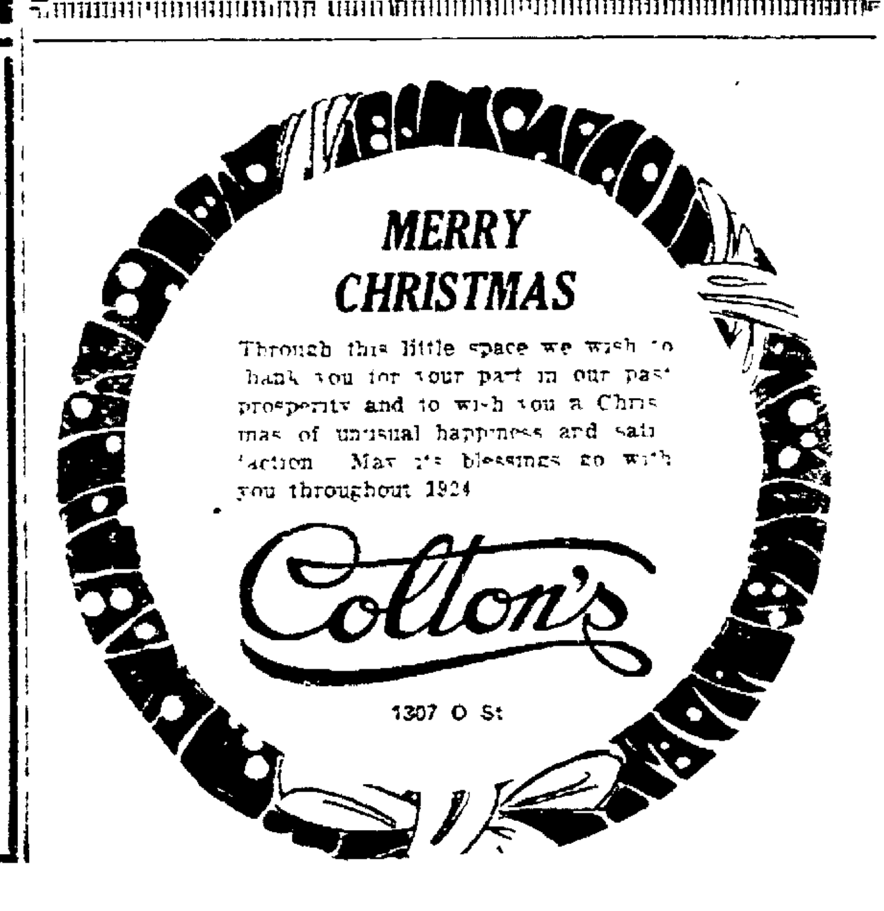
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NO PEACE FOR POLITICIANS

CHRISTMAS FINDS BITTER STRIFE IN THE MAKING.

Johnson-Coolidge Fight the Liveliest—Hughes in Hot Water Over Russia—Progressives Troublesome.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The Christmas season finds neither peace nor good will among the politicians. They are divided over candidacies and policies, both domestic and international. The new year promises to be filled with bitter political strife.

At the moment the conflict is liveliest between the supporters of Hiram Johnson and President Coolidge, rivals for the republican nomination for president.

Johnson, opposing Mr. Coolidge on practically every major policy of his administration except tax reduction has now included Henry Ford in his assaults upon the Coolidge candidacy. In a statement Johnson pointed out that Ford, after manifesting displeasure in October over the administration's attitude on Muscle Shoals, in December said Mr. Coolidge and his administration were "safe." He then asked what had occured to change Ford's opinion.

President Coolidge has been advised to reply to Johnson thru some authorized spokesman, to set at rest definitely rumors which have persisted that an arrangement had been reached on Muscle Shoals. If the administration does not reply, Johnson intends to repeat his query concerning the Ford-Coolidge rapproachment.

In democratic ranks all is confusion, with supporters of half a dozen aspirants for the nomination doing their utmost to beat William G. McAdoo.

The situation has been complicated and enlivened by the strength and aggressiveness displayed by progressives, who, scorning party regularity, have united in congress to bring about what they hold are necessary reforms in both house and senate.

This has made more difficult the task of leadership for administration forces, who legislative program faces stormy days when congress reconvenes.

A further element of disturbance question. Secretary of State Hughes, having prevailed with his view of policy towards Russia, has become the center of a controversy which involves also speculation to just what President Coolidge meant by saying in his message to congress that he was willing to make large concessions to Russia for the sake of restoring relations.

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PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—Members of the traffic squad hung mistletoe over their semiphores. "Not yet," they reported today.

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In a miniature revue
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AMAZING— —BAFFLING
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"The Girl Who Sees Without Eyes"
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MARY PICKFORD.
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A Timely Offering
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The merry and uproariously funny production—
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"Christmas Fantasy"
a pretty novelty
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Your Problems
BY MARY GORDON

Dear Mary Gordon: Have thot about "Another Mary's" letter so much that I cannot help but add my protest to the already numerous ones against the course she outlines to take. I liked the letters already sent in, "A Would-Be Friend and a Happy Mother" and the rest of them. And hope she'll take some of their advice.

Tell your mother Mary as lies only make it worse. I know I have gone thru with it, only the man was true and stood by me in spite of my effort to drive him away because of what I thought was pride and thot I was not going to be able to live up to the expectations of my mother. I to was a teacher and got a good salary.

And then when the aful truth was told to my mother (this was before my baby came I had been secretly married) it nearly killed her, not only the shame, but the lies I'd had to tell all along, how she cried about the lies, the lies, and to think I didn't trust her with the first greatest burden I'd ever had. Of course I hadn't looked at things this way but just like Mary is looking at them now. And I still shudder when I think will I have to answer for all those lies again some day? Altho it seems I've answered many times since. If everything did not go as it should and many times that's the case when a girl tries to hide it so long, the truth would come out then the shock on that gray haired mother would be worse and the shame to face alone.

I have found much pleasure and enjoyment in my little girls (I have another now) also that my task is a great one if I raise my little girls up to the highest standards of manking and think that "Another Mary" would to as she has a great love to bestow upon someone so it must be meant for his and her baby.

Let the man pay the expenses. He probably would be willing and it is his duty.

She surely wont feel so harsh toward the wife she does not know when she is a mother and finds she has something to love that will return her love. To Mary: You surely will want to keep your baby Mary. Yes, it would be more dishonorable than ever not to if you are able to support it. And when ever thing is over just remember "The world is a mirror, try smiling at it."—Little Mother.

A. Your letter is interesting. Only those who have gone thru such an experience are competent to advise others in working out their salvation. I wonder if "Another Mary" is reading all the replies her letter invoked?

Dear Mary Gordon: I am coming to you for a little help.

I have some boys that need overcoats or mackinaws and suits. Their ages are 16 yrs. 12 and 9 yrs respectively. Any help along this line would be appreciated.—Mrs. L. G.

Dear Mary Gordon: 1. Is it ill-mannered for a girl to powder her nose at a theater in a young man's company?

2. When a young man takes a girl to a theater and after taking her home he says he has had a nice time, what should the girl say?

3. Shrould you shake hands with your glove on?

4. When a young man stays at a girl's home later than she wishes, is it impolite to tell him it is late?—Sweet Sixteen.

A. 1. It is not good form to powder in public, but almost everyone does it.

2. Tell him you have enjoyed it, too.

3. Yes.

4. You might gently hint that it is time for him to leave.

Dear Mary Gordon: As a school teacher is greatly in need of a hectograph. I would appreciate it very much if you would print the recipe for one in your column.—A School Teacher.

A. I am told by a Lincoln stationer that the hectograph is a commercial machine and the gelatine used a commercial product. You would need to buy a machine.

Perfection Meringue.

Whites of 3 fresh eggs.
6 tabespoons fine granulated sugar.
Sugar for top.
1-2 teaspoon cream of tartar.
Few drops lemon juice.

Place whites in a round-bottomed bowl and beat rapidly with a revolving eggbeater. When stiff, add two tablespoons of sugar at a time, beating well each time, and with the last spoon of sugar add the cream of tartar and lemon juice. Then beat until meringue will divide in a clear cut when a knife is passed thru.

Pile this on the pie either roughly in billows or with the surface smoothed off and then scored in lattice fashion with a fork. Before putting pie in oven strew the granulated sugar evenly over the top. This will prevent the meringue from shrinking and will produce a very attractive crisp appearance.

Place in oven with only moderate heat and watch the pie so that as soon as the meringue begins to take on a light golden tinge the baking can be finished with the oven door open. When done, the meringue must be a delicate golden color and the top, if touched, must be crisp enough to rebound. A toothpick, if inserted, must come out clean. Now cool in warm atmosphere, drawing the rack on which the pie rests out of the oven and turning off the heat.

Butterscotch Pie.

1 cup milk
3 tablespoons soft butter
3 tablespoons flour
1-4 cup caramel syrup
1 teaspoon vanilla
Yolks of 3 fresh eggs
1 cup powdered sugar

Heat milk in double boiler and rub butter, flour and syrup smooth. Then pour a little of the hot milk on to this smooth paste and return to boiler, cooking ten minutes. Beat yolks, vanilla and sugar very light and pour caramel cream over, beating well. Line a pie plate with paste, pressing it down well and trimming the edge off, and then lay a strip of pastry around the outer edge and press down with the tines of a fork. Pour in the filling and bake until the custard is set and crust is nicely browned. When cool, prepare a meringue as already directed for lemon pie. Bake and cool thoroly before serving. If meringue is considered too cloying, spread on some unsweetened whipped cream.—Designer.

TREE IN HELL'S KITCHEN.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—"Hell's kitchen," much maligned because of the predilection of residents of that section for crimes of violence, celebrated its reformation this Christmas by having the biggest tree in town, raised in the public playground.

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On Face In Rash. Cuticura Healed.
"I was troubled with eczema for years. It broke out on my face in a rash when I was only three years old. I would be bothered with it for three or four weeks at a time, then it would go away for about a month and come back again. It itched and burned causing me to scratch, and the scratching caused eruptions.
"I started using Cuticura Soap and Ointment and they helped me, and after using three cakes of Soap and one box of Ointment I was healed." (Signed) Miss Blanche Welch, 417 E. Third Ave., Macbeil, So. Dak.
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SENDS ARMY TO MORELEOS

OBREGON FEARS REBEL ATTACK FROM THE SOUTH.

Federal Troops Consolidate Victory at Puebla Where 200 Rebels Were Killed and 1,000 Captured.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 23—(Delayed)—Fearing a rebel thrust from the south, President Obregon today despatched Gen. Arnulfo Gomez, military commander of the capital, with 1500 men, to Cuernavaca, state of Moreleos.

General Figurroa's rebel force occupied Puente de Ixtla, just south of that city, Saturday.

In the east federals were busy consolidating their victory at Puebla, which they captured Saturday afternoon, not earlier as erroneously reported.

Two hundred rebel dead were left behind when the De la Huerta forces was driven from Puebla, and 1,000 prisoners were taken. Airplanes and artillery were used in the attack before the city was captured.

SNOWING IN NEW YORK

Scattering Flakes Early Monday Forecast White Christmas for Metropolis.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—New York cheered to the possibility of a "white Christmas" today.

As the city arose, a few scattering flakes were falling, the sky was overcast and a brisk wind was blowing.

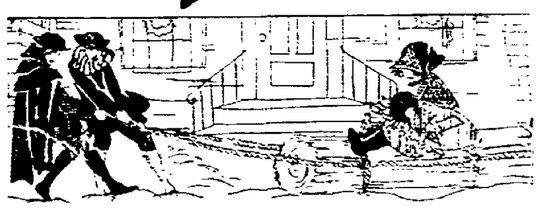
Weather wiseacres thought the snowfall might increase during the day.

CHRISTMAS SALES HEAVY.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Christmas buying is six per cent greater than last year, according to reports from seventeen large department stores to the federal reserve bank of New York, based on December sales.

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True Friends and Laughter—the real spirit of Christmas in our hearts and your. We wish for
All Friends and Patrons A
Merry Old Fashioned Christmas
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"Peace on Earth"

The age-old sentiment, "Peace on earth, good will toward men," should be as meaningful in the closing days of 1923, as it was in the day it was first spoken, nineteen centuries ago.

In accord with that sentiment, we want to express our sincere appreciation of the many kindnesses accorded us by our friends during the twelve-month just closing, as well as throughout the 18 years of our history.

Incidentally, we wish to pledge to you our best service during the coming year—and always. May you have a happy and bountiful 1924.

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LATEST!
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To do your Christmas Shopping late. You'll need a variety of selections to choose from. You'll need the Christmas Service This Store is ready—willing—and waiting to give you.
Bring Your List Here To Be Filled.

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—Easy to buy. Make it any amount you wish. Suitable for anybody and everybody to use anytime for trade in merchandise,—from food, clothing, apparel, house furnishings, furniture, stoves, furnaces to needles and pins. Our Merchandise Certificates are backed up by the widest variety of merchandise in the vicinity and that's why they are always such
welcome gifts.
—Employers give them. Societies give them. Schools give them. Classes give them. Individuals give them. You can give them on this LAST DAY before Christmas.
—Floor Three.

CANDY
--every kind you could wish for.
---in boxes or without.
40c, 89c to $15
—Candy—Street Floor.

Christmas Postscript
—Saturday as I was riding down in a Randolph car a man and his wife sat behind me. The man had a Journal which he opened.
—"Give me half the paper," said his wife.
—And selfish male that he was, replied, "All right. You take the first page. I want to read what Very Mills has to say about shopping for me."

Later
—That day I found men four rows deep buying candy and neckties, till I could hardly get through.
—"Good Morning, Mills," said one of them, "this jam almost reminds you of a busy day at Ed Young's, doesn't it?"

MEN
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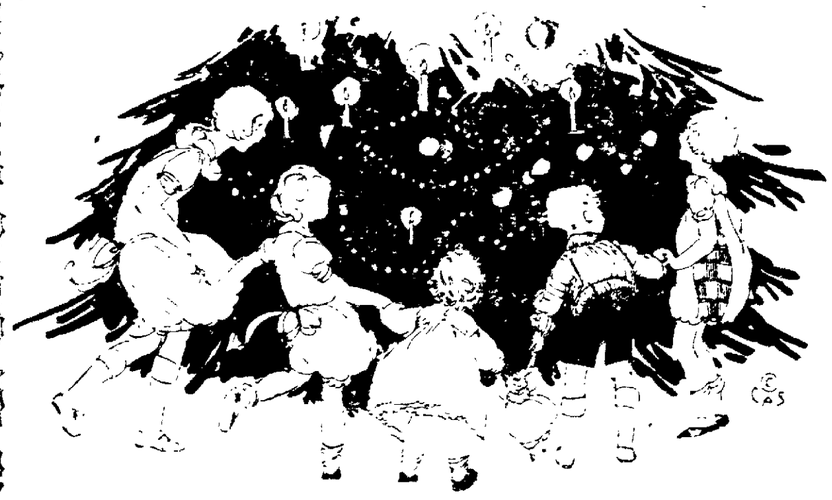
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DAILY MAGAZINE PAGE FOR EVERYBODY

MY HUSBAND'S LOVE

Adele Garrison's New Phase of

Revelations of a Wife

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More Evidence of the Lurking Menace.

WE bade Harriet and Edwin good-night at our door, and as I watched them ascend the stairs to their own apartment, while Dicky struggled with the sometimes stubborn lock of the hall door, a swift, apprehensive remembrance of the lurking figure which had fled when I came into the hall earlier in the evening flashed upon me. I said nothing, but the memory sharpened my eyes when we finally came into our living room, and I looked carefully around to see if there were any traces of an intruder.

Everything was apparently as I had left it, but the results of a close, searching look left me with the breathless conviction that some one HAD been inside the room since our departure from it. And when I opened my writing desk and gave its contents a hurried inspection, conviction became a certainty.

By nature I am a most orderly person, and with the really unusual memory which is mine by inheritance and training, I can remember exactly the order in which I leave papers or any other articles. It took but a second or two, therefore, for me to realize that some one had been rummaging my desk, even though its contents appeared to be in their usual places.

"What's the matter, old dear?" Dicky, prowling up and down the room, smoking, asked the question restlessly. "Think sneak thieves have been at your jools?"

"I was looking for a letter I meant to post and wondered if I had done so. I wasn't quite sure."

"Better take a tuck in the well known memory, old bean," Dicky advised with a grin. "Never do to let it get out of trig."

Madge's Intuition.

I did not reply. Intuition told me whose was the step coming down the stairs outside, and when Dicky answered a ring at the bell and Edwin entered, I was not in the least surprised.

"Harriet wants to see Madge," Edwin was explaining as the two men came into the living room. "Something about Mother, I believe." Anyway I was gently given to understand I would be in the way for a few minutes, so if you'll give me house room——"

"Also one of the best cigars you ever put in your mouth," Dicky said heartily, and I hurriedly went out of the room and up the stairs to Harriet's apartment.

She met me at the door, her face pale but composed.

"They've been here," she said, as soon as we were behind the closed door of her living room.

"Did they take anything?" I asked.

"No, that's the queer thing. I couldn't make sure until after Edwin went downstairs, but then I opened my bag and they'd even found the secret of the special false bottom I had made. I think they tried to put my trinkets back the way they found them, but I always keep them exactly the same way, and I knew in a second. Did they rummage your things, too?"

"Yes, but they didn't take anything, I'm sure."

"What do you make of it? Do you think they were trying to find out where these things"—she indicated the rare jade and amber ornaments she had not yet taken off—"or——"

"I think it was merely a chimpanzee curiosity gratified by rummaging." The words came convincingly from my lips, and I told myself that as far as Harriet's jewels were concerned, they were probably correct. But I could not rid myself of an uncanny prescient sort of feeling that the ransacking of my own apartment at the hands of some one associated with the Marks family—I was intuitively sure of the intruder's connection with them—had in it something more than idle curiosity.

A Satisfactory Theory.

It was so eminently absurd a fancy on its face, however, that I resolved to say no word to Harriet about it, or indeed to mention it to anyone else until something more definite developed, or until I was satisfied that in reality I had given the correct solution of the mystery to my sister-in-law, whose apprehension was plainly lessened by my theory.

"Your neighbors?" she asked.

"Yes," I nodded.

"But that's awful," she argued. "You never can know when they are going through your things."

"There's nothing here about which I care a whit," I returned laughing, with a nonchalance I was far from feeling. "Besides we are going away to-morrow."

"But Edwin and Dicky will be here," she said with widened eyes. "Suppose——"

"Suppose we don't borrow trouble," I returned. "You can be very sure they won't come in while the men are here, and you can take all your little trinkets with you to the farm. Or—we can tell Dicky and Edwin about it." I looked at her with tentative inquiry.

"No, don't say anything to them," she decided, evidently reassured. "It might worry Edwin."

"That's all right then," I returned, and went down the stairs again to my own apartment. But though my common sense upheld the theory I had given Harriet, and scouted my vague fears, my dreams were uneasy.

REHEARSAL -:- -:- By Juanita Hamel



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THE bells are ringing, there's a hurry and a scurry, and every heart is gay! For it's Christmas-time—a happy time—for both the young and old! Just peek through any window tonight and you'll see a jolly sight. Christmas trees a-shining and home-fires burning bright. There'll be stockings—yawning hopefully—holly a-plenty and poinsettia, too. Look up a bit and you will find the far-famed mistletoe. Be sure to hide so you'll not be spied. There'll be a rehearsal—a grand dress rehearsal—under the mistletoe. Cupid's the stage director. The play's at eight, but that will be too late, for the shades'll be down by then.

YOUR HEALTH

If You Are Over Fifty Beware of Automobiles

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D.,
United States Senator from New York,
Former Commissioner of Health, New York City.



DR. COPELAND

FIFTY is the dangerous age in motoring, Dr. J. J. Durrett told the Southern Medical Association the other day.

He presented the result of a survey, covering 1921-1922 in four Southern cities—Atlanta, New Orleans, Birmingham and Memphis. This shows, the doctor says, that the majority of drivers figuring in automobile accidents are beyond the age of fifty. Also the survey indicates that where pedestrians were injured, the age was above fifty or under fourteen.

Had I been present at the meeting I should have added some observations the department made while I was Commissioner of Health in New York. We discovered that the time the maximum of street accidents takes place is between four-thirty and five-thirty in the afternoon.

Fatigue has a lot to do with accidents. When you grow tired you become less alert. Your sight, hearing and mental processes are not so acute.

After a long, hard day pedestrian and driver are tired. Consequently they are less watchful. With increasing carelessness accidents are inevitable.

While Dr. Durrett's figures are new to me I can readily believe them. When you get past fifty your powers of endurance begin to decline. You tire more readily. Your fatigue at four o'clock is so great, even though you may not be conscious of it, that you are ready for calamity.

Of course, there is another reason for accidents after fifty. I refer to the failing sight due to age.

It is as natural as life itself to have changes in the vision, beginning at forty or forty-five, become so pronounced at fifty or more that near vision is quite reduced for everybody and distant vision impaired for some.

The need of glasses, poorly adjusted glasses, or glasses with heavy frames which cut off vision at the sides, may interfere with the acute sight so essential to safety on the street. Nobody should think of driving an automobile unless the vision is good or made good by well fitted glasses.

It is a sad thing, but true, that many children are slaughtered by reckless automobile drivers. Unfortunately, however, the careful driver may find himself the unhappy agent of an accident. Careless, thoughtless little children do not observe traffic rules. They run into and across the street, regardless of any and every danger. This accounts for the accidents happening to children under fourteen.

Fifty is a dangerous age, not only for motoring, but also for the beginning of chronic diseases. You must take pains to have yourself looked over at regular intervals after your fiftieth birthday. Watchful care will insure long life, and consciousness of the dangers of street traffic and of motoring should help to guard against disaster.

Answers to Health Questions.

B. F. Q.—Is there any way to remove a small growth of soft flesh on my ear? I was born with it.

A.—If this growth be a mole, it can be removed by the electric needle. It may be necessary, however, to have the growth removed by means of plastic surgery.

* * *

MRS. L. H. W. Q.—My husband, who is thirty-eight years old, often gnashes his teeth in his sleep. Will you please tell me what can be done to correct this?

A.—This gnashing of teeth may be a habit with your husband, or it may be due to constipation. A chin supporter worn while sleeping for a while will probably correct it, if it is a habit. It would be well to be sure that there is proper intestinal elimination.

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A DAILY READER. Q.—I have been using the beaten white of an egg to remove the oil from my hair. Will you kindly tell we whether this is injurious?

A.—The preparation you mention is harmless.

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MISS K. Z. B. Q.—Will you kindly tell me what to use for my complexion? It is always chapped.

A.—It is advisable to use a standard cold cream for this condition.

* * *

L. C. Q.—I have yellow spots on my eyeballs, and what looks like heavy skin has formed over the corner of the eyes next to the nose. What would you advise me to do about this?

A.—Have an oculist examine your eyes to find the nature of the growth on them and the cause of the spots.

* * *

E. G. B. Q.—Will you kindly tell me what causes white spots on the finger-nails and how they can be removed?

A.—White spots on the finger-nails are caused by injury from manicure instruments or by poor health. Application of yellow vaseline is helpful.

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R. A. P. Q.—I am eighteen years of age, height five feet, three inches. What should my correct weight be? 2.—Kindly advise me about ——.

A.—For the age and height you mention, a male should weigh about 123 pounds, and a female about 119 pounds.

2.—For full particulars, kindly send a self-addressed stamped envelope, restating your question.

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Dr. Copeland will answer for readers of this paper questions on medical, hygienic and sanitation subjects that are of general interest. Where the subject of a letter is such that it cannot be published in this column, Dr. Copeland will, when the question is a proper one, write you personally if a self-addressed, stamped envelope is enclosed. Address ALL INQUIRIES to Dr. R. S. Copeland, in care of this office.

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Good Night Stories

By Blanche Silver

Illustrated by Neva Harrison

HOW BILLY GOAT HELPED OLD TOWSER.

IN the first place, when Billy Goat, a wee little white goat, came to live with Towser's master Towser was so jealous of the newcomer that he simply made Billy Goat's life miserable.

"Go on back to your tin-can alley," he would bark at Billy Goat. Then he would run up behind him and nip at his heels until Billy Goat, fearing he would bite him hard, would run the full length of his rope and nearly jerk his neck in two trying to get out of Towser's way. "Get out of this yard," Towser would bark.

"Oh, if I only could," Billy Goat would cry, and then he'd yank and pull and yank at his rope, trying to get loose. "I'd run so far away you'd never see me if I could. I didn't come here because I wanted to. I came because I was dragged here. Go bite your master. He's the one to blame."

"Bite my master!" Towser would bark. Then he'd go after Billy Goat all the harder. He wouldn't really bite him, but he'd run so close and curl his lips up so crossly that poor Billy Goat would shiver and shake.

Well, this went on for some time. Then one day Billy Goat looked into a tin can and saw he was beginning to grow horns. He never said a word. Towser, who was so fond of nipping his heels, never looked as high as Billy Goat's head. He was always watching Billy Goat's heels and he didn't see the horns, which seemed to grow very fast.



Then Billy Goat Laughed.

One day when Towser ran at Billy Goat, Billy Goat, instead of running as he usually did, turned around quickly, dropped his head and Towser, taken back, slowed up just in time to avoid Billy Goat's new horns.

"Now then, young fellow," said Billy Goat, "you'll have to be careful from now on. I have horns and I'll surely butt you if you run at my heels."

That was the last time Towser ran after Billy Goat's heels. Then one day Towser got out into the big road. He was gone for a long time. The little master was away and Billy Goat, despite the fact that Towser had always been a tease, grew quite worried. When he finally spied Towser coming pell-mell down the road, with something flying in the air behind him, Billy Goat gave a sigh of relief.

Towser slowed up and sneaked into the yard. He was in hopes that Billy Goat wouldn't see him, but the queer thing that Billy Goat had seen flying in the air behind Towser got caught in the fence and Towser couldn't move. It held him tight.

Billy Goat, filled with curiosity, ran over to the fence and peeked out. Then he laughed. Tied to Towser's pretty tail was a big tin can.

"Well," he laughed, "to show you I'm a good fellow, even if I am a goat, I'll help you. Folks say that goats eat tin cans. Maybe they do, but I don't. I can chew that string, though, if you'll promise not to bite my heels while I'm doing it."

Of course Towser promised, and Billy Goat chewed the string in two and released Towser from the can.

From that day to this, Towser and Billy Goat have been the very best of friends.

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THE HOME KITCHEN

How You Can Use Left-Overs from Christmas Dinner

By JEANNETTE YOUNG NORTON
The Authority on Home Cooking.

THE term "leftovers" is not attractive as a description of food, but it is rather difficult to find another word that exactly expresses the same meaning. However, since we all understand the word and also have the problem to deal with of using up foods that are not consumed at the first meal, perhaps the term itself does not matter.

The choice portions of the Christmas turkey in all probability will have been served at the Christmas dinner, so it is the denuded frame that we must consider.

Turkey Hash.

Take two cupfuls of meat diced, not chopped or run through a grinder, and after wiping the inside of the frying-pan with a cut bud of garlic, put in the meat, what gravy is left and water enough to cover the meat. Cover the pan and melt these ingredients together until the meat is hot. Add pepper, salt, a dessertspoonful of Worcestershire sauce and a finely-minced pepper fresh or drained out of oil. Dredge the mixture with flour, stirring constantly so that it will not lump, and when the gravy is of the right consistency, turn the hash over crustless slices of toast arranged on a hot platter. Garnish the hash with slices of broiled sweet potato. This is a real turkey delicacy and is much more delicious than a chopped hash.

Turkey Dressing.

If the dressing that is left is firm, after slicing it in thick slices dip the slices into egg, then in fine, seasoned crumbs, fry them a delicate brown and serve them with the cold sliced meat. If the dressing is crumbly, mix it with a pint of drained, freshly opened oysters or a large can of drained shrimps. Season the mixture well and arrange it in a buttered baking-dish, dusting the top with a little grated cheese and adding a half cupful of cream or a cupful of cream-sauce to soften the mass. Bake the dressing until it is a delicate brown on top.

Baked Fresh Ham Leftovers.

If we should decide to use a fresh baked ham instead of turkey for the Christmas dinner, we may use the leftover meat in some such way as this: Slice the ham in as nice slices as possible and lay it in a buttered baking-pan. Dust it with flour, sprinkle it with a teaspoonful of mixed ground spices, dust it with a tablespoonful of brown sugar and turn over it a cupful of grape juice or a cupful of sweet cider. Let the mixture cook in the oven long enough to thicken the gravy and heat the meat through. Half an hour probably will be long enough. Serve with mashed potatoes.

WINIFRED BLACK TELLS ABOUT The Problem of Rosie-Posie

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Winifred Black

THERE they stood in the little shop where they make brass lamps and screens and vases and things—the middle-aged, soggy sort of man with defeat and failure written all over him and his middle-aged, crushed little wife with defeat and failure written all over her, too.

And the man was telling the woman who owns the shop that he didn't thank her for putting ideas into his wife's head.

And after they'd gone I asked the woman who owned the shop about it and she said:

"Yes—isn't it pitiful? That little woman has a real talent for this sort of work. She's haunted the shop for months looking at things and two or three weeks ago when I was rushed with some orders I asked her if she wouldn't like to help with some of the work. She went into the workroom and rolled up her sleeves and put on an apron and got busy and she did wonderfully well. So last week when my best assistant worker told me she was going to be married and go away to live I thought of this little woman and the next time she came in I offered her the job.

"You ought to have seen her face—her eyes just shone and she had all she could do to keep from crying for joy.

"She looked as if somebody had left her a million dollars and then she came in and took some work home and she said she'd have to keep it a secret from her husband because he wouldn't approve. He said he couldn't bear to think of her working for money, so she told me.

"And she made a lot of good things and I sold them and paid her and her shabby little dress grew shabbier and shabbier, but she was afraid to buy a new one for fear her husband would find out where she got the money to spend, and this morning in they walked together, husband and Rosie-Posie.

"That's what we call her in the shop—she's exactly like a little, withered, faded, old-fashioned garden rose. And husband raised an awful row.

The Husband's Reasons

"He said Rosie-Posie was not to do work outside her own home. He said he didn't want people thinking that he couldn't support his own wife. He said it humiliated him. You ought to have seen her talking baby talk and coaxing him, and telling him how lonesome she was all day with the children in school and asking him if his dinners hadn't been even a little better since she had been making the things, telling him how happy she was to do it, and he posing and showing off and bragging and strutting; and you could see that the poor thing hadn't had a new dress or a new hat in years, and he didn't look so very well dressed or so very prosperous himself.

"And that seemed to be the worst of it. He actually said, 'Why if she goes on this way, she'll be making more money than me, and that will never do!'

"And I asked him why, and he just stared and wouldn't trouble to answer.

"What would you do if you were Rosie-Posie?"

I wish the woman who had the shop hadn't asked me that question.

It's a hard one to answer.

So much depends upon the man. Now if he's really a good, kindly, generous sort of fellow who tries as hard as he can to look after his family and if it really would hurt him to have me make a little extra money on the outside, and if I loved him very, very much I'd look at him as if he were a foolish, wrong-headed little boy if I were Rosie-Posie, and I'd never let him know how I felt about it and I'd stay at home and be happy and poor and dependent and contented.

And I'd sing a happy little song to myself to think what I could do if I would—and I wouldn't do it.

If He Doesn't Measure Up

But if he is a cross, conceited, overbearing, bossy sort of chap—well, I don't know. I'm afraid if I were Rosie-Posie I would just slip out and do the extra work and put the extra money away for a rainy day or spend it in making life a little brighter and a little easier for the two of us.

But if he were an easy-going fellow, a little reckless, a little extravagant, a little gay in his taste—I would stay at home and live on bread and milk and let him provide it for me and know that I was doing the very best, not only for myself—but for him.

What would you do?

The Bath Is One of Beauty's Greatest Adjuncts

By LUCREZIA BORI
The Famous Spanish Prima Donna



LUCREZIA BORI

BEAUTY and scrupulous cleanliness are so closely allied that they are almost inseparable.

It is an absolute fact that no woman can be really beautiful who is not always as clean and dainty as a flower. Flowers, you know, are daily washed by the morning dew. It is the least that human beings can do to follow this example, and be unfailing in the practice of a daily bath.

At the present day, when beautiful bathrooms are so abundant, baths are much less effort than they used to be when heating water and pouring it in and out of a small portable bathtub were parts of the bath process. And human beings are much more likely to do the things that are easiest to do, so it follows that daily baths are a matter of course to most of us now. We don't even waste any time or thought on whether we will or will not indulge in the luxury. We do it as a matter of habit.

Whether the bath is an evening or a morning affair must depend upon the convenience and judgment of the person who is to take it.

The busy woman who has to get breakfast for her husband and children will doubtless prefer to take her bath at night, and stay in bed the few extra minutes that bathing would occupy in the morning. Then again, where there is a fair-sized family and one bathroom the convenience of others must be considered, and the mother of the family is usually the one who arranges her time for the convenience of others.

Where none of these considerations are necessary, the matter of health may be involved. A person who is susceptible to colds may prefer a night bath to one in the morning. She can get into bed immediately and avoid the chance of taking cold. Of course a cold rinse after the tepid morning bath is considered a good precaution against colds, but some women find the cold rinse too strenuous for them.

If you take the dash of cold water and tingle with warmth as a reaction, you will find it a most pleasant way to terminate your morning bath. Just pouring a small amount of cold water over your chest and shoulders will make you feel wonderfully strong and vigorous.

If you wish to make your bath a [illegible] luxury [illegible] recipe for [illegible] bran and [illegible] bags. This recipe will make twelve. Use one for [illegible] bath, [illegible] as you would a sponge, allowing it to soak a few moments first. You should use soap too, as nothing does away with the necessity for good, cleansing soap.

The ingredients are as follows:

Clean bran, 1½ pounds
Florentine orris root, ½ pound
Almond meal, ½ pound
Grated Castile soap, 3 ounces

Add the second two ingredients to the former and mix thoroughly.

Make twelve bags of cheesecloth, about eight by four inches in measurement. Sew your bags up firmly and put about five ounces of the mixture in each. This will make your bath soft and fragrant, and your skin soft and pretty.

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Tomorrow's HOROSCOPE

By Genevieve Kemble

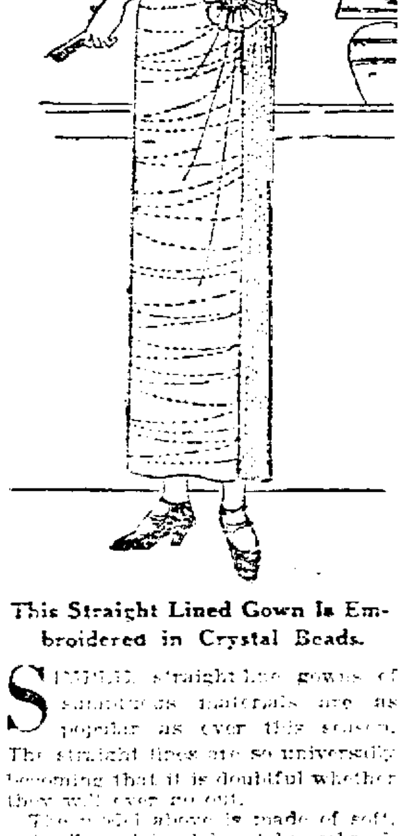
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25.

This day, the epiphany of the spirit of peace and good will to all men, should not be overshadowed by certain astral figures with [illegible] a degree of circumspection in the pursuit of the pleasurable [illegible] symbolic of the festive season. All the conventional indulgences of the holiday season should be temperately restrained and the mood of the hour should be that of cheer and optimism with proper consideration of the health.

Those whose birthday it is may have a year of [illegible] give proper attention [illegible] shun speculation and [illegible] guard the property [illegible] relationships. [illegible] letters and writings [illegible] of entertainment. A child born this day will require early [illegible] steadiness. It should be helped to a hopeful and cheerful outlook on life.

Today's Fashion

By VERA WINSTON



This Straight Lined Gown Is Embroidered in Crystal Beads.

SIMPLE straight-line gowns of sumptuous materials are as popular as ever this season. The straight lines are so universally becoming that it is doubtful whether they will ever go out.

The model above is made of soft [illegible] and is elaborately embroidered in crystal beads in a [illegible] design. [illegible] at the side where [illegible] beads are attached [illegible] [illegible]

The sleeves of this model are [illegible] [illegible] used on a number of new frocks.

WORDS of WISE MEN

All men detest ingratitude, as being an injury done to themselves, by the effect it has of discouraging generosity, and the ingrate they look upon as the common enemy of the poor.

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Victory is by nature insolent and haughty.

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It is a matter of the greatest importance for the human soul to comprehend its own nature.

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The body is no more than the vessel, or receptacle, of the soul, and the actions of the latter can only properly be called the actions of the man.

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Whatever is done without ostentation, and without the people's being witnesses of it, is most praiseworthy.

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The greatest theatre for virtue is conscience.

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The highest, the divine wisdom consists in [illegible] investigated and [illegible] the [illegible] nature of all that pertains to mankind, in being surprised at nothing which happens, and in believing, before the event, that everything is possible.

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All action is of the mind, and the [illegible] of the mind is the face, its index the eyes.

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It is not enough to possess virtue, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] is [illegible] of virtue.

Advice to Girls — By Annie Laurie

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE:

When someone invites you to a party, how should you accept or decline the invitation? What should you say to the host or hostess when leaving the party?

SALLY.

SALLY: If you wish to accept an invitation, do so by writing a polite note saying that you will be very happy to go to the party. If you do not wish to accept, say that you are sorry you are engaged for that evening.

When you leave a party, thank the hostess and say that you have enjoyed the evening very much.

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE:

I am going with a young man two years my senior. He tells me how much he loves me and is very good to me, but I do not love him as much as I do another young man.

My parents do not want me to quit the young man I am going with. Should I go against my parents' wishes?

PEGGY.

PEGGY: Can't you keep the young man for a friend and enjoy the society of others at the same time, my dear? You are not engaged and there is no reason why you should not do it.

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LIFE MERGER IS APPROVED

STANDARD ABSORBS COMMONWEALTH OF OMAHA.

Nebraska Bureau Consents and the Proposal Now Goes Before the Insurance Bureau of Illinois.

The state insurance bureau has approved a proposed merger of the Standard Life Insurance company of Decatur, Ill., and the Commonwealth Life Insurance company of Omaha. The commonwealth office in Omaha will be closed and its policies will be reinsured by the Standard company when the insurance bureau of Illinois gives its approval. The matter now goes to the Illinois bureau for consideration.

Examinations show that the Standard company is financially able to care for the interest of policy holders. The officers and stockholders of the two companies are practically the same and have been for some time. Under the merger plans, which has been pending before the Nebraska bureau for six months, the combined capital stock of the merged companies will be $380,000; surplus, $482,298; admitted assets, $7,981,879. Over $83,000,000 of insurance is now in force.

F. J. Uehling has been president and C. S. Whitfield secretary of the Commonwealth company. The officers in active charge of the Standard are: J. R. Paisley, president; W. K. Whitfield, vice president; J. B. Nottelman, secretary.

"No lawyer has spoken to me," said Chief K. C. Knudson of the Nebraska insurance bureau when asked if attorneys will receive a fee for representing these companies in the merger. Mrs. Mary A. Fairchild, assistant chief of the bureau said there is no attorneys' fees to be paid.

While it is reported the Omaha office of the Commonwealth will be removed to Decatur, Ill., or to St. Louis where the Standard has a branch office it is said a state agency headquarters will be maintained in Omaha.

Chief Knudson said examiners of Nebraska, Iowa and Missouri had made an examination and later their report had been checked and approved by a special examiner, D. H. Campbell. The value of the home office at Decatur, Ill., is given by the examiners at $904,000. Special appraisals ranged from $925,000 to $1,000,000.

TOLD POLICE ON HIS WIFE

Refuses to Bail Her Out When She Goes to Jail, Then Fears for His Life.

OMAHA, Dec. 24.—Roder Nebricich told police his wife, Katie was bootlegging, police arrested her and Francisco Sermno, a neighbor; at the Nebricich home.

Nebricich bailed out his neighbor, but let his wife furnish her own bail.

Shortly after her release, he again complained to police, saying his wife was trying to kill him.

Nebricich was found in his front yard flourishing a gun, officers who arrested him on a charge of carrying weapons said.

Nebricich put up a $25 bond for himself.

EX-CONVICT OFFERS BLOOD

Would Save Life of District Attorney Who Sent Him to San Quentin Prison.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Scotty Repell, ex-convict and sent to San Quentin prison thru the efforts of Thomas Lee Woolwine, walked into the American hospital here Sunday and offered his blood for a transfusion necessary to strengthen the former Los Angeles district attorney, who is recovering from a serious illness.

The offer was refused, as was that of Woolwine's wife, because the blood was not of the right kind. That of a nurse was used in a satisfactory transfusion and Woolwine was reported "stronger" today.

OPPORTUNITIES TO GIVE

Council of Social Agencies Has Fifty Names of Families Needing Christmas Cheer.

There is still opportunity to provide Christmas cheer for families unable to celebrate out of their own resources, it was announced Monday by the council of social agencies. Fifty names remain, after more than 200 have been supplied to churches and various organizations, and may be obtained by calling headquarters, B-1479. The office will also be open this evening for a short time.

BUILT 'EM SOLID IN OLD DAYS.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 24.—The complaint is often made that present-day builders are interested only in completing their jobs and collecting the money, but Clevelanders are worrying over a different problem. Workers recently started wrecking an old building to make room for a modern structure. The foundation of the old building was eight feet thick and the basement floor, over a bed of gravel, is eight feet of concrete, reinforced with one-inch steel netting. After several attempts to drill thru for blasting, the job was given up as impossible by the first company. Two other construction companies were called in and each failed. The fourth has been working at the task for three months and it is still only half completed.

RUSSIA BUYING LITTLE OF U. S.

MOSCOW (By Mail)—Aside from some tank cars, a very few railroad locomotives and a considerable amount of raw cotton, Russia is buying very little in the United States today. The quantity of agricultural machinery, industrial machinery, tools, grain sacks, various instruments and leather and leather wares which Russia bought this year is only a small fraction compared to the purchases made last year, especially in foodstuffs and leather goods.

LINCOLN FIREMAN



—Townsend Photo

Assistant Fire Chief Donnelly.

Francis W. Donnelly has been connected with the Lincoln fire department since June 1, 1912. June 18, 1918, he was made a lieutenant. He was promoted to a captaincy November 1, 1918. He became assistant chief September 6, 1922.

SAY COURT WAS WRONG

ATTORNEYS ASK REHEARING ON BANK DEPOSIT CASE.

Supreme Court Accused of Failing to Give Full Force to Statute Putting Protection About Public Funds.

Attorneys for County Treasurer McCandless of Custer filed with the supreme court Monday an application for a rehearing of the case in which the court recently held that because McCandless deposited $36,500 more in the People's State bank of Anselmo than the law required, the deposit guaranty fund cannot be held liable for the excess.

They say that the court overlooked two important points that they presented, and which are decisive of the case. One of these is the contention that when section 8027 was enacted public funds were put under the protection of the guaranty fund just as were private funds; that acting on this law the banking department based the amounts of its assessments on the deposit, knowing all the time that it was there and that it was in excess of the limit of a treasurer's deposit, and took the money and added it to the guaranty fund.

The other overlooked point is that since that section was passed the department of trade and commerce, the banking board, the treasurers and the banks have all acted on the presumption that the old law fixing a limit had been repealed and the limitation removed.

They say the court was in error in holding that at the time of making the deposit there was a legal limit on the amount that could be put in a bank; that there was no fraud and that it was all done in the ordinary course of business, and that the state is now estopped from claiming the guaranty fund is not liable.

They add that the court is wrong in saying that the limit serves a good purpose. The necessity for it was rdemoved, they contend, when the guaranty law was passed. The attention of the court is called to the fact that by adhering to its former decision that some banks may be bankrupted if they are called on to return to treasurers what the court has held to be excess deposits, and that where the treasurers cannot get back this excess they are liable to be bankrupted. It is admitted that where the law is plain this should not deter the courts from doing their duty, but that the judges should be well satisfied that their decision is the law before enforcing it.

HOLD HARGRAVE FUNERAL

Services for Prominent Wymore Woman Most Largely Attended in Town's History.

WYMORE, Neb., Dec. 24.—One of the largest attended funerals ever held in Wymore was that over the remains of the late Mrs Addie Cromwell Hargrave, prominent social and literary worker of Wymore. She was a real pioneer of the city, having moved here in 1884 with her husband, the late Thomas P. Hargrave, the first clothing mrechant in Wymore, and the town had been platted but three years previous, in 1881. The funeral was held at the Methodist church, the main part and the league room of the building being completely filled. The ceremonies were in charge of Rev D A McCullough, present pastor of the church, and Rev W C Harper of Auburn, a personal friend of the family for many years. Music was by the church choir, and special vocal music by Mrs. F K Mullen, wife of Burlington Superintendent Mullen of Lincoln, formerly of Wymore. The pallbearers were Dr R J Hinman, G A Jones, D K Windle and Charles Rawlings, young business men of Wymore, Thomas Hargrave, a nephew, of Falls City, and L B Lyman Burlington general superintendent of Lincoln formerly of Wymore, and a close personal friend of the family.

LLOYD GEORGE IS BETTER

Former Premier Recovers From Cold and Will Spend Christmas at Home in Wales.

LONDON, Dec 24.—Former Prime Minister Lloyd George, who was taken ill with a cold several days ago somewhat to the alarm of his friends, had sufficiently recovered today to proceed to Criccieth, his Welsh home where he will spend Christmas.

LATE NEWS OF YESTERDAY

BOY OF FOURTEEN INSTANTLY KILLED

Ralph Witt, 1226 High Street, Meets Accidental Death From Shotgun in Hands of His Brother.

Ralph Witt, fourteen years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Witt, 1226 High street, was accidentally shot and instantly killed, by his brother Milford Witt, sixteen years old, five miles south of the city on the fourteenth street road while the boys were hunting rabbits Sunday noon. A discharge from a shotgun in the hands of the elder boy entered the back of younger lad's head, at close range. Castle, Roper & Matthews ambulance was called and the body taken to their parlors after Sheriff Hensel had gone to the scene of the accident. He found the elder boy grief stricken over the accident.

Ralph Witt, Oscar Hansen, 2827 South Twelfth street; Dick Yokel a neighbor, and Milford Witt were hunting. Milford Witt had a double barreled shotgun and the Hansen lad carried a single-barreled shotgun. The other boys did not have guns and were helping to scare up the rabbits for the boys who were armed to shoot.

They scared up a rabbit in a pasture along the highway and Milford Witt emptied one barrel of his gun at it. Ralph Witt then darted into the weeds to scare it up again and in some manner, the other barrel of the gun carried by Milford Witt was discharged, striking the lad in the back of the head. The Yokel boy, the youngest of the four was so frightened that he ran a way when the accident occurred.

The other boys remained at the scene of the accident and got help from a passing automobile. The ambulance was called and upon learning that the boy was dead Sheriff Hensel was notified. He went to the scene, and later went to the Witt home to notify the parents. Sheriff Hensel said the shooting was purely accidental and there would be no necessity for an inquest.

LIONS CLUB PLAYS SANTA TO CHILDREN

Seventy Members Go to Tabitha Home, Where They Distributed Gifts and Dispense Good Cheer to All.

About seventy members of the Lincoln Lions' club, with the wives of several members, visited Tabitha home Sunday evening and distributed Christmas gifts among the children and the old people at the home. This was the third annual visit made by the club at Christmas time to the home.

Each of the forty-two children was given a sweater and a bag of candy, with other gifts, and Sister Eva and Sister Anna Marie, as well as Rev. E. Walter, pastor of the home, were remembered by the visitors.

John Curtis, a member of the Lions, took the part of Santa Claus, and gave each child and the others their presents.

During the evening a musical program was given, the members of the club furnishing part of the entertainment, while the children of the home aided by adding several songs to the program.

CHARGED WITH VANDALISM

Fremont Officials Believe Boys Were Responsible for Cemetery Desecration.

FREMONT, Neb., Dec. 23.—With the arrest of George Johnson, fourteen; Eugene Ruff, twelve and John Ruff, ten, county officials believe they have solved the mystery connected with the recent vandalism that occurred at the Calvary Catholic cemetery at Fremont.

The boys are also charged with breaking into and entering the John Deml and Larson camps on Thompson Island east of the city. A petition filed in district court charges the lads with robbery of various articles taken from the Deml house.

Young Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Winter, jr., is said to have admitted acts of destruction at the cemetery following his arrest on the robbery charge. Police allege that he confessed destroying markers and disfiguring headstones at the cemetery on October 13 when he and other boys entered the burying grounds "for something to do." To what extent the others boys were implicated young Johnson refused to reveal. Deml's petition asks that the three boys be sent to the Kearney industrial school or some other institution.

LUTHERAN PASTOR DIES AT TECUMSEH

Rev. Henry F. Grupe, Pastor St. Peter's Church, Passes Away—Had Been Pastor of Church Thirty-three Years.

TECUMSEH, Neb., Dec. 23.—Rev. Henry F. Crupe, well known minister, died suddenly at his home southeast of Tecumseh. He had not been ill. Rev. Mr. Grupe was a native of Germany and came to the United States at the age of six years. The family located at Crete, Ill., and later Rev. Grupe graduated from the Lutheran Theological Seminary of St. Louis, Mo. His first charge was near Illmo, Mo., where he preached for nineteen years, and for the past thirty-three years he had been pastor of St. Peter's church here. Rev. Mr. Grupe was married to Miss Catherine Hoffman in St. Louis in 1881. The widow and five children survive, the children being Paul Grupe of Deshler, Mrs. Amelia Knigger of Hereford, Tex., Henry Grupe of Detroit, Mich., Arthur Grupe of Beatrice, Neb., and Mrs. Hedwig Beckman of Tecumseh. There is one sister, Mrs. Fredericka Rust of Crete, Ill., Rev. Mr. Grupe was seventy-five years old. The funeral will be at St. Peter's church, Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

MERE MENTION

A. J. Draper, 2353 O street, while driving north on Twenty-second street between R and S streets, ran into an automobile belonging to Jack Watson, 2805 South Thirty-fifth street, which was parked at the curb Sunday evening. A North Twenty-third street car in charge of Motorman J. J. Rice ran into the Draper car immediatley afterward. Rice said it was impossible to stop in time to avoid hitting the Draper car as it had been thrown on the street car tracks by colliding with the Watson car. Jack Roliff, 700 North Twenty-second street, was slightly cut by flying glass from the broken windshield on Draper's car. The Draper car was badly damaged.

Mrs. Walter Wheatley, 719 South Sixteenth, reported to the police that a man grabbed her pocket book at the alley between R and M street on South Thirteenth, and ran east thru the alley at 8:15 Saturday night. Mrs. Wheatley says there was no money in the purse but the keys to her apartment were in it thus causing her some inconvenience. The man was described as wearing a brown coat, fawn-colored cap and being of a fair complexion and between twenty and twenty-five years old. The alley runs just south of the city auditorium thru which the thief ran. Officers Gannon, Stearns, Goodwin and Wall investigated the case.

Public Markets

To Further Accommodate You we will be open Till Noon Xmas

LEGION ENTERTAINS BUDDIES AND WIVES

Christmas Celebration Attracts a Large Number of Former Service Men With Wives and Children.

Five hundred former service men, with their wives, mothers, and children, attended the Christmas celebration at the club rooms of Lincoln post No. 3, Sunday evening.

It was the largest Christmas party ever held by the post, and perhaps the largest given this year by any organization. The club rooms were packed to overflowing, and all thru the program the children expectantly awaited the appearance of Santa Claus.

Red, white and green bells, streamers and draperies covered the ceiling and walls of the club rooms, placed there by a corps made up of members of the legion auxiliary and the local voiture of the 40 and 8 society. In one end of the large hall was a big Christmas tree, decorated with red and green electric lights and candies and gifts for the children. At one side of the hall was a large box filled with nuts, at which children were aided and abetted by grownups in filling their pockets.

The program opened with several selections by an orchestra, and this was followed by solos by Miss Grace Munger. A short talk by Commander James Kinsinger was followed by songs by a male chorus.

Santa Claus soon took charge of the program and began distributing candy and gifts to the children. The male chorus ended the program with several songs. Following this there was a social hour.

The children added to the interest of the post program activities. A photographer arranged about fifty children in a group near the Christmas tree and took a flashlight photograph of the group.

Shortly afterward, a blue-eyed youngster with a tendency probably inherited from her doughboy father, fell in line for "seconds" on the candy while "daddy," encased in his official dignity, was writing out the application of a new legion member.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW

The recently organized musical company known as the Coyote Entertainers will start on a concert tour thru the western part of the state, Monday. The company is made up of Irene Holmes, Fairbury, soprano; Celia Jones, University Place, alto; Ivan Farnsworth, University Place, tenor; Ben Christner, University Place, bass; Hazel White, Lincoln, pianist and reader. The program of the company consists of secular, sacred, and southern songs and readings. They will visit the following towns: Palisade; Trenton; Straton; McCook; Imperial; Wauneta; Enders; Hays Center; Cambridge.

Mu Phi Epsilon held a Christmas party at the home of Miss Ethel Kelknap, 1951 Ryons, on Monday evening. Holiday decorations were used thruout the house and at the close of the musical, Santa Claus passed a large bag of presents and let each person take his choice. The various tops, jumping-jacks and toys drawn from the bag created much merriment. At the close of the evening refreshments were served, consisting of a little red ice cream Santa Claus and cake, followed by candles.

The programs, made by Miss Helen Agnes Palmer bore a red candle and the verse, "Music is a kind of inarticulate, unfathomable speech, which leads us to the edge of the infinite and lets us for moments, gaze into it."—Carlyle. The program was as follows:

Biography, Borowski, Olga Faltys.
Adoration, Borowski, Helen Agnes Palmer.
To Music, to Becalm His Fears, Harrocks, Allisbele Brown, Ethyl Robinson.
Serenade, Rachmaninoff, Nina Means.
The Birthday of the King, Neidlinger, Viola Nagel.
Christmas carols.

Following the musicale the president, Miss Grace Bazant, read short stories from Henry Van Dyke's "Spirit of Christmas," "Christmas Giving and Christmas Living" and "Keeping Christmas."

Miss Hilder Carlson of the Lincoln high school teaching staff is spending the holidays at her home in Minden.

PATROL TO SING CAROLS

Forty Shriners Will Visit Hospitals, State Institutions and Others Places Tonight.

About forty members of the Shrine patrol will sing Christmas carols at the state institutions and hospitals and other places Monday night. They will start at The State Journal office at 11 p m and from there will go to the Y M C A, Lincoln Sanitarium, governor's mansion, St. Elizabeth's hospital, reformatory, state hospital, penitentiary, St. Thomas orphanage, Green Gables and Tabitha home. Last year the patrol made a trip over the city and was followed by many Lincoln people in automobiles.

Freight rates on wool from all points in the west to the Atlantic seaboard should be lowered in the opinion of interstate commerce commission examiners.

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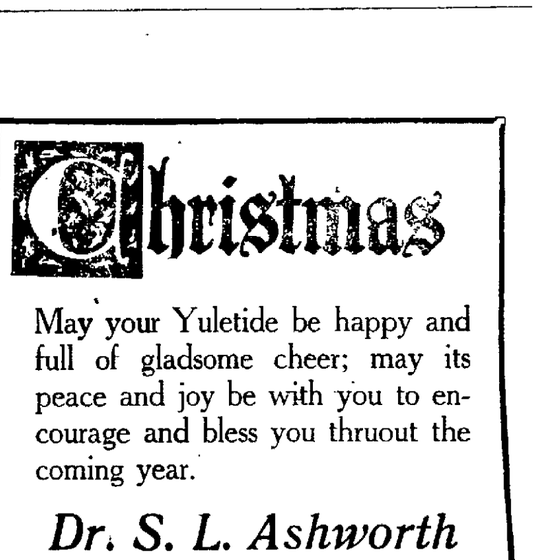
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Christmas
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MERE MENTION

Weyant Plumber.—Adv.

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Dad—See Talbot for that Buick for the family.—Adv.

Roast young pig and baked apple today. Elam Cafe.—Adv.

Private dancing lessons only by appointment. L6302—Adv.

Give Lincoln Book for Christmas—50c. Woodruff's. B3500.—Adv.

Ford cars sold on easy payments F. R. Hussong. 18th and G.—Adv.

Try R. I. Coal Yard Hanna Lp Spadra grate $16.50.—B2666 — Adv.

The Boston Store Wishes Every one a Merry, Merry Christmas.—Adv.

Police Judge Chappell Monday fined P. C. Davidson $5 and costs for parking at a fire hydrant.

H. Rath, Monday, drew a fine of $10 and costs from the police court, amounting to $14.70, for speeding.

Importers of Diamonds, Blue White and perfect, guaranteed; easy payments. Harris-Goar, 1330 O—Adv

Christmas day High Speed station close at noon for the day. State Oil Co.—Adv.

Christmas special. Ladies' or gents' $75 diamond rings for only $49.50—$5 down and $1.50 a week. Harris Goar Co., 1330 O St.—Adv.

Lodges and clubs can put money in their treasure by talking with the management of Dreamland pavilion. Phone B3424 for appointment.—Adv.

The Lancaster county court house will be closed all of Christmas day, according to an announcement made by the county commissioners Monday forenoon.

Closing out at cost—Lotus flowers, Lotus leaves and Cattails done in Pastel bronze. Boquets at $1.20. Mail orders solicited. Rudge & Guenzel Co.—Adv.

H. R. Dennis was fined $1 and costs Monday by Justice Stevens for using language towards Archie Carmichael, restaurant man, tending to provoke an assault.

Over $79,000 in interest has been credited to our saving depositors this year. Bring in your passbook now and have the January interest credited. This will avoid waiting in line during the first of the year rush. The First National Bank of Lincoln, Nebraska.—Adv.

It has been announced in Omaha that E. C. Eppley has negotiated a new lease for the Fontenell hotel, running for thirty years; and has leased the Rome hotel for a period of thirty years. Rome Miller will quit business and go to California. Mr. Eppley is said to have announced at Omaha that he will improve the Lincoln hotel.

The Missouri Pacific, thru Superintendent Kirk, has informed the state railway commission that authority has been given for the purchase of a motor car to do passenger service on the line between Concordia, Kas, and Prosser, Neb. Mr. Kirk says he is assured that other motor cars to take care of branch line traffic will be furnished later.

Eck H. Threpp pleaded guilty in Justice Hawes' court Monday to a complaint charging him with intoxication and driving an automobile while intoxicated. He was fined $25 on the first count and $25 on the second count. The fine and costs amounted to $56.90. Deputy Sheriff Ward appeared with the defendant. Mr. Threpp paid by a check on a Denton bank.

The case of B. H. Brown, charged with speeding, was continued Monday by Police Judge Chappell for sixty days. Meanwhile Mr. Brown is forbidden to drive an automobile or ride in one. The complainant was Deputy Sheriff Hughart. He testified that he chased Brown on P street from Fourteenth to the Burlington passenger station and that he was traveling thirty-eight miles an hour.

A mandate from the United States court of appeals at St. Louis was received by the federal district court Monday stating that the appeal of Charles Fulton of Wymore has been dismissed and that he must serve a jail sentence within thirty days of the filing of this mandate. Fulton was convicted on two counts of a complaint charging him with violating the dry laws and the federal district court in October fined him $300 and sentenced him to thirty days in the Lancaster county jail. Possession and sale were the counts under which he was convicted. Fulton after appealing to the higher court dismissed it.

H.B.Brown,undertaker. B6519—Adv

PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Mrs. Kate Astley celebrated her seventieth birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hiram Kellogg, 1550 South Twenty-third, Sunday from 2 until 6 o'clock. About forty called during the afternoon. Three of her five children were present, among them her daughter, Mrs. J. K. McKain and family from Blue Rapids, Kas. The daughter in California and the son in Minnesota could not be present. The house was attractively decorated with suggestions of Christmas and refreshments were served which included a birthday cake decorated with red candles. After the Christmas season Mrs. Astley will return with her daughter, Mrs. McKain, to Blue Rapids, where she will spend the remainder of the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg will entertain at a family dinner Christmas day at their home Tuesday. Covers will be arranged for sixteen and will include Mrs. J. K. McKain and family of Blue Rapids.

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WHAT'S DOING TONIGHT.

American Legion at club rooms, 8 p. m.

Shrine choir to sing Christmas carols beginning at 7:30 p. m. in front of Journal office and making state institutions and hospitals.

Sacred Heart, high mass at midnight.

The East Lincoln midwinter picnic at the State Farm.

Trinity children's program and Christmas service, 7 p. m.

Epworth Methodist Sunday school Christmas entertainment.

Beulah Mission, 8 p. m., children will give a Christmas program.

Newman, 8 p. m., Christmas tree and program by Sunday school.

Christmas exercises for Temple Baptist Sunday school, 8 p. m.

Warren Methodist Christmas exercises for Sunday school 7:30 p. m.

St. John's Christmas tree and children's program beginning at 6:30 p. m.

Mt. Zion Baptist children's exercises and Christmas tree in evening.

Trinity Methodist an old fashioned program by Trinity Sunday school.

Penial Mission Christmas program, 8 p. m., W. B. Howard superintendent.

Grace Methodist church school Christmas celebration and tree at 7:30 p. m.

Our Redeemer, children's Christmas program in a service beginning at 7:30 p. m.

St. Paul 7 p. m., children's Christmas service with program by the Sunday school.

People's City Mission, Christmas program and treat for men of the mission, in evening.

Grace English Lutheran church school will give a Christmas program and Christmas tree 7:45 p. m.

Second Presbyterian, Bible school Christmas entertainment will be given in the church parlors at 7 p. m.

Holy Trinity, Episcopal, midnight eucharist beginning at 11:30 p. m., preceded by fifteen minutes of carols.

Cathedral of St. Mary, Catholic, Christmas services begin with midnight solemn high mass and program by the Cathedral school choir.

St. John's, Evangelical, Christmas program will be given in the church at 7 p. m., in German.

Quinn Chapel, A. M. E., 8 p. m., trustee board, Christmas tree and program in church; light luncheon will be served by ladies aid society, Mrs. Lillian Muckleroy, president.

Emmanuel, Methodist, 7:30 p. m., Christmas eve program at the church. The Christmas offering will be to rehabilitate the earthquake destroyed institutions of the church in Japan.

Sarah D. Gillespie Tent No. 7, Daughters of Veterans in Red room, Y. M. C. A., 7:30 p. m.

Mary Louise Bryan and Francis Millson entertain at a dancing party at the executive mansion.

TUESDAY'S EVENTS.

Fraternal Societies.

Lincoln chapter, No. 148, O. E. S., business meeting, 8 p. m. at Masonic temple, Twenty-seventh and S.

Mt. Moriah commandery, Christmas observance, 11 a. m.

L. P. U. V. society celebrate Christmas at their hall at Ninth and M in the evening. Christmas tree and dancing for members and their friends.

The Churches

Mt. Zion, Baptist, 6 a. m., early morning services.

Cathedral of St. Mary, Catholic, low masses Christmas day at 7, 8, 9, and 10, and high mass at 11.

Blessed Sacrament high mass at 10 a. m. Low mass at 8.

Sacred Heart masses at 8 and 10 Tuesday with benediction after late mass.

St. Francis de Sales, masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.

First-Plymouth Congregational, high school endeavor club will sing Christmas carols, meeting at the church exactly at 5 a. m.

Swedish Emmanuel, morning service, 5:30 a. m., subject, "The First Christmas Carol." The choir, a mixed quartet and a soloist, will sing. Christmas program by the Sunday school, 7:30 p. m.

Holy Trinity, Episcopal, communion service at 10 a. m.

University, holy eucharist (choral) and sermon, 11 a. m.; Christmas holy communion, 8 a. m.

St. John's, Evangelical, new testament classes after 4 p. m.

St. Paul, 10:30 a. m., Christmas services; subject, "The Mystery of the Manger."

First Lutheran, Christmas matin service in Swedish, 5:30 a. m.

Grace, English, at 4 a. m., a volunteer choir will assemble at the church and visit the shut-ins of the congregation and others. At 6:30 a. m., the congregation will worship at the church.

Our Redeemer, a candle-light service at 6 a. m., special music by the choir; sermon topic, "God is Love, for Christ Is Born."

Our Savior, Christmas service at 10:45 a. m.

St. John's, Christmas worship at 10:30 a. m.

Trinity, service in German, 10 a. m.

Newman, Methodist, 7 p. m., praise service and sermonette by pastor, subject, "Christ Is King."

J. H. Allen, formerly of Lincoln, now of Los Angeles, Cal., telephoned Christmas greetings to O. C. Weesner Sunday night. The voices of the family came as clear and natural as in a local phone connection. Mr. Allen said that with weather like June, it took all the lighted out-door trees and Christmas decorations to bring the Christmas spirit to one accustomed to the snows in Nebraska at holiday time. He is planning a big family dinner in Los Angeles for Christmas day. Like others who have migrated to California, Mr. Allen's family want snow on the ground when they next visit Lincoln.

A program of compositions of Edward MacDowell, commemorating the sixty-second anniversary of the birth of the composer, was held last week at the home of Herbert Schmidt. The guests were the active members and pledges of Phi Mu Alpha, the national musical fraternity. "A Tale," played by William Hart, and the first movement of the sonata, "Eroica," by Norman Goodbrod; one number for violin, Hartman's transcription of "To a Wild Rose," was played by Koby Sirinsky, and "Folksong" and "The Seal" were presented by Hermanus Baer. A luncheon followed.

A dinner party given by department heads to Governor Bryan at the Lincoln hotel Sunday evening was magnified by reports at the state house Monday into a gathering of Bryan's supporters to boom him for president. The dinner was given by heads of code departments and a few guests including Chief Justice A. M. Morrissey and Secretary F. C. Radke of the governor's office. The department heads said the meeting had no political significance, that it was merely a little gathering in honor of Governor and Mrs. Bryan [illegible] by chiefs of the code [illegible] wives.

Mrs. J. S. Har[illegible] entertained forty girls at a shower at her home, 152 East Eighth, College View, Sunday afternoon complimenting Miss Marguerite [illegible] whose marriage to Rev. [illegible] Williams will take place New Year day. A [illegible] were presented to Miss Stone by one of her college friends who made a presentation speech. Pink and white was the color motif and the house was attractively decorated with ferns and house plants. Ice cream and wafers were served.

James T. Bridges of Milwaukee, Wis., arrived in Lincoln Sunday morning to spend the Christmas holidays with his sister, Mrs. R. A. George and Mr. George and his son, Burton Bridges, who makes his home with the Georges. There will be a 1 o'clock Christmas dinner at the B. A. George home, 1826 South Twenty-sixth, Tuesday. Covers will be laid for four. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. R. H. George will entertain at a family dinner.

CLOTHING FOR DESTITUTE GERMANS FROM LINCOLN



—Photo by Macdonald.

From left to right, upper row: Conrad Hook, helper; Jacob Volz, representative in Russia during 1923; John Rohrig, vice president.

Left to right, bottom row: Conrad Herzog, and Jacob Strackbine, two helpers; Rev. Richard Kuehne, representative now in Germany; Rev. Jacob Wagner, representative in Volga district 1922; J. J. Stroh, treasurer of society; H. J. Amen, president.

The truck load of bales of clothing is being transfered into a freight car to be shipped to New York and from there to Europe. The American Volga Relief society has charge of the work. The clothing for needy Germans left practically destitute by the ravages of the world war has already reached Berlin.

A cable from Rev. Richard Kuhne, representative of the society, tells of his safe arrival in Berlin December 18. He is now cooperating with the German Red Cross in the distribution of the clothing. The slogan of the society was to get the clothing to Germany in time to bring warmth and happiness to the war sufferers on Christmas.

The society has received so many appeals from the German people for help that it has now undertaken to gather a car load of food products. It is planned to have the shipment leave Nebraska the middle of January. Such staples as rice, flour and beans as well as other foodstuffs will be forwarded. Any person who desires to send along a bundle of clothing may do so. Also money will be received gladly to help pay the transportation expenses and to buy food in Lincoln to fill out the car, if this is necessary. This appeal for food is to everyone and especially to German born people, who still cherish a feeling that they would like to help their former countrymen. The railroads and the steamship companies have made reduced rates as their contribution to the charitable undertaking. All contributions should be sent to John Rohrig, 335 South Eighth street, and as before should be sent prepaid. The Rohrig telephone number is B1374. Smoked meat will also be acceptable.

Lincoln people have done all of the packing, loading and hauling free of charge and the hauling and handling of stuff that is received here by express or by freight. The vice president of the society, John Yakel of Newark, N. J. looks after the shipments after they reach seaport and sees that they are loaded for Germany. Contributions of clothing to fill the car that has now reached Germany, came from all over the United States.

The manager and office girls of the Press Publishing company were entertained at a Christmas luncheon at their office Monday noon. A miniature Christmas tree with decorations and candles formed the centerpiece on the table under which were a cone-shaped Christmas box filled wit hcandy and nuts and a gift for each one. The holly ribbon tied around the gifts led from each package to the plates. Covers were arranged for six.

M. E. Hansen of Salt Lake City, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Hansen, and Mrs. R. W. Eaton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Hansen, Mr. Eaton and son Waldo of Omaha came Monday to spend the holidays with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Hansen will entertain at a family dinner at 1 o'clock Tuesday at their home, 421 North Twenty-seventh. Covers will be arranged for fourteen.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Knight and their son, Jerry, of McCook, came Friday for a holiday visit with Mr. Knight's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knight. Mr. and Mrs. Knight will entertain at a family dinner at their home on Christmas when their guests will include Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Adamson and their children, Dorothy, Silence and Howard.

Prof. N. A. Crawford of Manhattan, Kas., is spending Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Crawford and his brother, Prof. R. P. Crawford of University Place. He will go to Chicago where he will take part in a Journalism convention there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Pegler and daughter Miss Grace Pegler, left Saturday for Randolph where they will spend Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. J. A. McEachen. Mrs. Paul Dickey who was formerly Miss Ethel Pegler, and Mr. Dickey of Columbus will attend the family dinner at Randolph.

Dr. and Mrs. Clayton Andrews will entertain at a 6 o'clock dinner Christmas day. Covers will be laid for six, including Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Andrews, parents of Dr. Andrews, who arrived Saturday from St. Paul to spend the holidays here, and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Andrews of Norfolk, uncle and aunt of Dr. Andrews.

Prof. Clara Conklin, chairman of the modern language department of the University of Nebraska, has gone to Indianapolis, Ind., to spend Christmas with her sisters. From there she will go to Ann Arbor to attend meetings of the modern language association at the University of Michigan.

R. B. Thornton, a former Lincoln man who has been assistant sales manager with the Durant Motor company in Lansing, Mich., has been appointed vice president of the W. C. Auble Motor company of Chicago, to take effect at the first of the year. The Auble company handle the Durant and Star cars.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hullhorst of Minneapolis are visiting in Lincoln at the home of Mr. Hullhorst's mother, Mrs. Mary Hullhorst, 2441 Bradford drive. They came Saturday and expect to remain about a week.

Miss Franceska French, who is supervisor of music in the public schools at Atchison, Kas., came Saturday evening to spend the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. H. A. French, 2725 South [illegible].

Mrs. [illegible] M. Kilpatrick [illegible] Los Angeles, Cal., arrived [illegible] Monday evening and [illegible] holidays with her sisters, Mrs. [illegible] J. Forsyth, 2724 Q, and Mrs. F. B. Bailey, 1907 G.

Robert L. Holyoke of Minneapolis is a holiday guest of Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Holyoke, 1515 F. Miss Eloise Holyoke [illegible] attending [illegible] spend the holidays in New York city.

Miss Nell Purdy left Sunday afternoon for her home in Wankon, Ia., where she will spend the Christmas holidays with her father, E. D. Purdy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kendall have gone to Nebraska City to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sweet.

Vincent Grady of Minneapolis and Lewis Grady of Sedalia, Mo., are spending the Christmas holidays in Lincoln with their mother.

Mrs. Henry Schwake returned to Nebraska City Sunday after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. George Schwake.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Williams of Topeka, Kas., spent Sunday in Lincoln with relatives.

Miss Lurene Hendricks is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents in Wahoo.

Miss Aenone Poston started for Denver Saturday to spend the holidays with her mother and sister.

Mrs. Theodore Hurtz has gone to Omaha to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hurtz.

Townsend-Portrait photographer-Adv

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Lomax—Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Lomax will be held at 11 a. m. Wednesday, at Castle, Roper & Matthews. Rev. Mr. Stevens will have charge. The body will be taken to Farragut, Ia., for burial. She died Sunday at her home in Bethany, and was the wife of Commoodre T. Lomax.

Witt—Funeral services for fourteen-year-old Ralph Witt, accidentally killed Sunday, will be held from the chapel of Castle, Roper & Matthews at 2 p. m. Wednesday. Burial will be in Wyuka.

Gross—William C. Gross, sixty-eight, died at 7 a. m. Monday at the home of his son, H. E. Gross, 340 North Twenty-ninth. He is survived by two sons, H. E. of Lincoln and Oscar of Wellington, Kas.; three daughters, Mrs. Joe Bignell and Miss Daisy of Lincoln, and Mrs. Edna Weaver of Burlington, Ia. The body is being held at Hodgman's pending funeral arrangements.

McEntee—The body of Charles E. McEntee, who died Sunday morning, is being held at the chapel of Splain & Schnell pending funeral arrangements.

Wells—The body of Mrs. Viola May Wells is being held at the Roberts chapel awaiting funeral arrangements.

Bryne—The body of Patrick Bryne is being held at the Alba Brown funeral home awaiting arrangements. Mr. Bryne was an ex-service man and the American Legion will look after burial. The funeral will probably be held Wednesday.

Seybolt—Miss Anna Seybolt died at a local hospital Sunday morning. She had lived in Lincoln from 1887 to 1910, returning again to Lincoln from California in 1920. She leaves a sister, Mrs. Sarah Seybolt Kirk of Broken Bow; Albert T. Seybolt of Bridgeport; Floyd Seybolt and Andrew D. Seybolt of Lincoln. Funeral services will be held at Roberts chapel Wednesday morning at 10 [illegible] Burial in Wyuka cemetery.

E. L. Troyer, Undertaker.
Mrs. Troyer, ladies embalmer—Adv

HAVE NOT TAKEN ACTION

No Complaints Filed Against Two Arersted in Connection With Certain Hold-Ups

No complaints have been filed against Archie A. Barton, University Place, and [illegible] Riley, 517 South [illegible] North, who were arrested by [illegible] and county authorities in connection with certain hold-up activities. [illegible] Wade, nineteen, was arrested at the same time, but, according to Sheriff Hyers, she won't be held.

Both Riley and Barton are said to be former taxi drivers. Their arrest followed a reported attempt to rob a man at Sixteenth and H one Thursday night, the Saturday [illegible] near the Country club and [illegible] Jake Menz was relieved of $[illegible] in an attempted hold-up last Monday night on N street.

FRENCH DIRIGIBLE IS PREY OF STORM

(Continued From Page One.)

mude was forced to sea over the gulf of Gabes.

In the storm her commander had no chance to effect a landing on the Tunis coast. He sent an urgent wireless appeal:

"Heavy tempest Gasoline exhausted; many men sick."

French war vessels, including the cruiser Mulhouse, sped to the rescue.

Then the Dixmude's wireless gave out; her last means of communication with the earth was cut off. Her propellers were idle when she was sighted from Tunis and it was believed that she must inevitably be lost.

The crew's one chance seemed to be to rip the huge gas bag and risk a plunge into the sea, trusting they might land near some vessel.

The Dixmude had carried rations for two days. By the end of the sixth day, the crew faced the actual prospect of starvation in midair. Many became exhausted from "sea sickness" caused by the tossing of the dirigible at the whim of the gales and from lack of food.

For twenty-four hours the naval station here was without word from the Dixmude. Then, in some way as yet unexplained, the airship reestablished its wireless—its one link with the earth.

Late Sunday the commander reported he would try to make a landing at Medenine. Fires were lighted in a ring around the landing ground there and troops waited thruout the night to help the Dixmude to earth, but the latest reports indicated the effort had been unsuccessful.

WOMAN HURT IN CRASH

Arm Broken When Two Cars Collided in University Place Sunday Evening.

Mrs. A. J. Moody, 1501 M street, Havelock, sustained a broken arm and severely lacerated forehead, Sunday evening at 4:30 when the car which Mr. Moody was driving collided with another car in the vicinity of Seventeenth and Q streets, University Place. The driver of the second car did not stop but the license number of the car was secured. Mrs. Moody was taken to the office of Drs. Taylor and Taylor, University Place, where the arm which was broken in two places was set and several stitches taken in her forehead. Mr. Moody said that he was not traveling more than twelve miles an hour and the accident was due partly to the sudden stop of the car when the brakes were set. Neither car was badly damaged.

FROM UNIVERSITY PLACE.

Edward [illegible] [illegible]

FILIPINO CLUB PROGRAM

[illegible]

TENTH CHRISTMAS IN JAIL

[illegible]

HE SPOILED THE SYSTEM

GOVERNOR BRYAN PLEADS GUILTY TO THIS CHARGE.

But Denies Speaker Mathers' Intimation That His Administration Is Based on the Spoils System.

Governor Bryan comes back at Speaker Mathers in regard to the spoils system by claiming credit for the reduction of expenses in code departments under his control and for a reduction of employes, largely in the road department which is doing little work compared with the road building done under the McKelvie administration. When the legislature failed to appropriate salaries for secretaries of code departments Governor Bryan asserted that the legislature was trying to ruin the labor department and the banking department. Now he claims credit for all reduction in expenses of code departments, some of which the legislature forced upon him.

"Speaker Mathers, candidate for governor," said Governor Bryan, "opposes the spoils system and intimates that I am in favor of that system and am running the present state administration on that basis. I think the speaker of the house, candidate for governor on the republican ticket, made a slight error in his statement. He should have said I spoiled the system, not that I favor the spoils system.

"The records show the last republican administration had about 600 employes on the payroll in departments under control of the governor. I reduced that number to 272 employes. In view of the number of parasites I have taken off the payroll, amounting to 50 per cent, I am willing to plead guilty to the charge that I have spoiled the system. We are still giving the public service and have reduced the monthly pay roll over one-half in departments under the governor.

"It is hardly in good taste for the speaker of the house to refer to or oppose the spoils system. His deceased code bill that bears his name and which has not been defended by any individual republican or any republican newspaper since I vetoed it, contemplated not only keeping an army on the payroll but to insure the spoils system, it proposed to transfer 600 republican employes to be under the jurisdicition of republican state officials, and thus permit them to ride upon the taxpayers back. I want to plead guilty to spoiling the spoils system.

"Abolishing 300 republican jobs and putting no one in their places may not bring Christmas cheer to those removed, but it may be comforting to taxpayers."

Governor Bryan has assembled another set of figures. He starts with the reduction of the general fund overdraft at the end of the biennium, June 30, 1923. This overdraft was reduced by reason of a large collection of state taxes in July. The governor takes that as a starting point and an ending point. He says he reduced expenditures in his departments $915,381.37 in the first six months of this year as compared with expenses for the same six months in 1922. To this he adds $651,572.21 unpaid road construction claims at the end of the biennium, June 30, 1923, also $110,110.89 of state aid bridge claims unpaid. These three items added to the overdraft of $25,275 makes a total of $1,702,343.42, according to the governor's bookkeeping. "If I had not made that saving the overdraft last June upon the state general fund would have been $1,702,343.42 instead of $25,274."

The overdraft on the state general fund is now about $800,000 and may be nearly $1,000,000 by the first of the year.

CHRISTMAS OBSERVANCE

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"Hark, The Herald Angels Sing," Mendelssohn.

Emanuel M. E. Christmas eve service, 7:30 p. m.

SERVICES CHRISTMAS DAY

St. Mary's cathedral, Fourteenth and K, low masses will be said Christmas day at 7, 8, 9, and 10 a. m. and high mass at 11.

Blessed Sacrament, 2015 South Sixteenth. Low mass at 8 a. m.; high mass at 10 a. m.

Sacred Heart, Twenty-fifth and Y, masses at 8 and 10 a. m., with benediction after last mass.

St. Francis de Sales, Eighteenth and J. Masses at 8:00 and 10:30 a. m.

Holy Trinity Episcopal, Twelfth and J, communion services 10 a. m.

Grace English Lutheran congregation will worship at the church at 6:30 a. m. Tuesday, following the early carol singing of the volunteer [illegible]

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Bits of News From Today's Want Ads

Manufacturing business in Omaha for sale.

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Chance to buy coal wagon.

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Party wants to buy first or second mortgage.

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Are you looking for used garage?

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Strayed, a team of white horses.

connection with a candle light service.

Swedish Methodist, early morning service Christmas day, 6 a. m.

CHRISTMAS FESTIVALS

Grace English Lutheran church school, of which J. H. Humpe is superintendent, will have a Christmas tree and general Christmas program, Monday at 7:45 p. m.

Our Redeemer, children's program 7:30 p. m.

St. John's Lutheran, Christmas tree and children's program, 6:30 p. m.

Trinity Lutheran, children's program, Monday 7 p. m.

Swedish Emanuel, Christmas program by Sunday school, Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.

St. John's Evangelical, Christmas program in the church Monday at 7 p. m. Over 100 children will take part in the program of recitations and singing of Christmas carols. The program will be in the German language.

St. Paul Evangelical, children's Christmas program, Monday, 7 p. m.

Epworth M. E. Sunday school, Christmas entertainment, Monday, 7:30 p. m.

Grace M. E., church school Christmas celebration and tree, 7:30 p. m., Monday.

Newman M. E. Sunday school Christmas tree and entertainment, Monday, 8 p. m.

Quin chaptel, A. M. E., Sunday school program and tree, Monday, 8 p. m.

Trinity Methodist, old fashioned Christmas program by Sunday school, Monday 7:30 p. m.

Christmas programs at Beulah, Peniel and People's missions, Monday at 8 p. m.

Second Presbyterian, Bible school entertainment, Monday, 7 p. m.

Westminster Presbyterian, Monday 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. Christmas party for children of the beginners and cradle roll classes.

At St. Francis De Sales.

The Christmas season was celebrated by St. Francis de Sales court of Forresters, No. 1121, with a program and Santa Claus for members and their families, Thursday evening. Presents were exchanged after the following program, Santa Claus having arrived in time for the distribution.

Duet piano—King of the Carnival, Misses Assenmacher and Strauss.

Reading—Santa Claus gets married, Emma Wittmann.

Song, Holy Night, Mary Smith; Marcell Smith accompanist.

Recitation—What would we do without Christmas, Ivean Burkitt.

Piano solo—Iriquois Waltz, Harold Schmidt.

Recitation—"Don't", Clara Gaughan.

Recitation—In School Days, Leo Hartnett.

Piano solo—Remember Me, Ida Bauer.

Recitation—Ann Jeanette Smith.

Song—Elinor Assenmacher, accompanied by her mother.

Recitation—Night After Christmas, Dorothy Yale.

Recitation—If Dad Could be a Boy Again, Billy Hoffmann.

Recitation by Marjorie Yale.

Recitation—On Christmas Eve, Gertrude Hoffman.

Recitation, Joe Hartnell.

Reading—Night Before Christmas, Emma Wittmann.

Recitation—Mildred Yale.

The program ended with a playlet and directed by Hildegarde Stauss, title, "A Happy Christmas for All." The children taking part were Ruth Sherman, Eugene Assenmacher, Elfrieda Stauss, Mary Smith, Robert Assenmacher, George Stauss.

RAIDS FORTY BLIND PIGS

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a saloon or bootlegger remains in this section," Rev. Mr. Rompel said.

MARION, Ill., Dec. 24.—Federal dry agents, aided by deputised citizens, in a series of week-end raids, "cleaned" nearly every suspected sof tdrink saloon and road house in Williamson county. Nearly 100 arrests were made. The persons arrested were charged with violation of the Volstead act.

Raids were staged at Marion, Herrin, Carterville, Scottsboro, Johnson City and road houses all over the county.

The federal agents stationed their deputies and volunteers all over the county and made all the raids and seizures simultaneously at a prearranged time. Large quantities of illegal liquor were seized.

Otis Clark, Herrin miner, one of the first men indicted in the prosecution for the "Herrin massacre riots," was among the men arrested. He was seized after he had taken a shot at one of the deputies.

The ku klux klan, which has been active in arousing prohibition enforcement, was reported to have taken part in the raids.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—"Mop" squads under Sheriff Hoffman arrested [illegible] persons in week-end raids on road houses and saloons in Chicago suburbs.

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Boston Market A Merry Christmas

CUTTING OUT MATHEMATICS

RESOLUTION ABOLISHES SMALL FREE PARK AREAS.

Wherever Two-Hour Limit Extends Portion of Block, Remaining Strip to Be Annexed for Convenience.

The present mathematical uncertainty of knowing where to park was up to abolishment in a resolution introduced at Monday's council meeting by Commissioner Cowgill at the request of Police Judge Chappell. The resolution now in use carries many such items as this:

"From Humpty street to a point 137 2-3 feet south of the south line of Dumpty street."

The new resolution cuts out the "overs," the "unders" and the fractional feet. If the two-hour limit now applies to a portion of a running block, it shall apply to the whole block. Four downtown streets are included and in each instance the two-hour limit is extended geographically. Here are the results:

Twelfth street a two-hour parkway on both sides from P to R.

Two-hour parking proviso extended along the east side of Thirteenth to Q.

Both sides of Fourteenth under two-hour regulation from P to N.

M street used for two-hour parking from Eleventh to Thirteenth.

An ordinance proposing renewal of the contract between the city and the humane society was ticketed for passage under the rule suspension route. The language is the same as that of last year's ordinance only that instead of being named Lancaster branch, Nebraska Humane society, the organization is called Lancaster County Humane society. The society, under terms of the ordinance, receives 100 per cent of dog tax fees, maintains a shelter and receives $65 a month for picking up dead animals from the streets.

A maintenance bond in the sum of $35,000, given to guarantee a minimum life of five years for the new lock-joint intercepting sewer to the disposal plant, was approved. This bond takes the place of the construction bond in the sum of $43,000.

Commissioner Schroeder offered an agreement between the city on the one hand and L. B. Loso on the othre for construction of a new twelve-inch well at the site of the recently constructed test well. This is in the vicinity of the A street statoin. The contract calls for $5 a foot, the department to furnish casing and other materials. The total amount will run about $850 since Mr. Schroeder contemplates a depth of 170 feet.

An outstanding feature of pre-Christmas week in the Chicago produce market has been the severe decline in the price of fresh eggs which are from 6 to 8 cents lower than a week ago.

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A. A. U. Relents Somewhat In Case of Charley Paddock

FASTEST HUMAN TO BE GIVEN A CHANCE

A. A. U. Decides Against Drastic Course and Will Permit Sprinter Hearing Before Barring Him.

BY HENRY L. FARRELL.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—One chance still remains for Charley Paddock, the world's sprint champion, to become eligible for appointment to the 1924 American-Olympic team.

If Paddock apologizes for several statements which the A. A. U. interpreted as being "insulting" and if he makes a satisfactory explanation of some financial matters, he may be re-instated as "an amateur in good standing."

Paddock Must Make Move.

Paddock, however, must take the initiative in asking for a hearing before a committee of the A. A. U. that has been appointed to review and pass upon his case, it was learned today.

The A. A. U. feels that its position is known and that any action in his case must be started by Paddock.

After the meeting of the executive committee of the American Olympic committee Saturday it seemed that Paddock had no chance to make the next Olympic team.

W. C. Prout, president of the A. A. U., declared he never would "sign the certificate of character" which is embodied in the entry blank for the Olympic athletes, and Col. Robert M. Thompson, president of the Olympic committee, said he would never send to Paris "an athlete who is not a real American gentleman."

When it seemed that Paddock's chance for making the team had been removed almost entirely, moves for conciliation were made and the A. A. U. not willing to assume the role of a persecutor, decided to give the California sprinter a hearing.

To Make Personal Appeal.

Friends and supporters of Paddock, among the leaders of the National collegiate athletic association, promised they would make an effort to have Paddock appeal personally before the committee prepared to answer all questions.

From all the evidence that was unfolded by Prout when he denounced Paddock and the national collegiate A. A. it seemed that th estar sprinter had been the victim of poor advice and that he was not a rebel at heart.

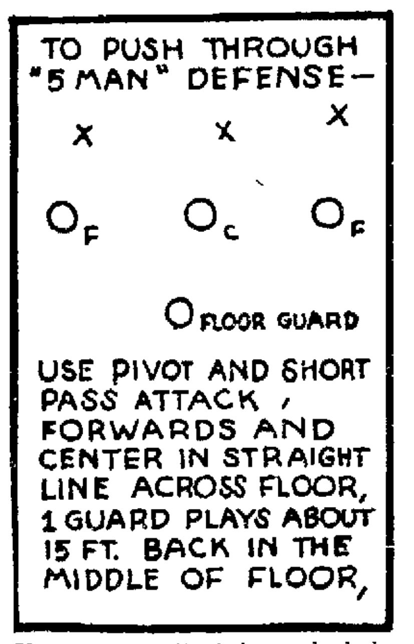
Coffey Will Captain Hastings Grid Team

HASTINGS, Neb., Dec. 23.—Raymond Coffey was announced as captain of the 1924 Hastings high school football team at the annual football dinner held here last week. Coffey will be a senior next year and has played two seasons as a regular. Coach Dick Newman stated that Hastings would have enough material next season to build another winning team.

Chicago Bowlers in Lead.

AURORA, Ill., Dec. 24.—Chicago bowlers are leading the eleventh annual interstate bowling tournament here. Jimmy Smith and "Doc" Ehlke of the Smith Arcade five of Milwaukee, Wis., hold fifth place with a 1,246 score.

LITTLE LESSONS IN Basketball



How can an attack be pushed thru the "five man defense?"

Answered by
W. E. MEANWELL.

Coach, University of Wisconsin, inventor of the short passing game, the criss-cross attack and the five man defense. Always has a dangerous and leading team in the conference.

There are (1) long and (2) short passing attacks, (3) combinations of both, and (4) the dribble and back pass to a trailer. Each one will be successful in the hands of a coach who has mastered that particular style and can teach it. I have had most success with a pivot and short pass attack against a five man defense, employing the forwards and center in a straight line across the floor and about ten feet apart, and with a guard trailing about fifteen feet behind the first line of attack and in the middle of the floor.

The first line passes the ball between themselves and advances until the defense stops further progress. When that occurs the man with the ball pivots and passes, preferably to a man running forward, but finally passing backward it in danger of losing the ball. The first line advances by criss-crossing from side to side. The pivot is frequently employed and the passes are mostly on a low plane and preferably by means of a bounce or underhand pass.

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PLAN A "LATIN LAKE?"

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Hidden from the general public, impressed only by the spectacular features of the visit to Rome of King Alfonso of Spain and his dictator, conversations have been going on in the Italian capital which may have a profound effect on the future grouping of the continental European powers. France has only an academic interest in whatever may have resulted from the interviews between "the very catholic monarch" and Pope Pius relating to the religious question, but it has a deep interest in what is believed to have been the prime object of King Alfonso's journey—namely, the possibility of making the Mediterranean a "Latin lake." "Latin" in this case would, of course, mean Italo-Spanish, with the Italian partner holding the ace.

ALL SET FOR BIG CHRISTMAS GAME

College and High School Stars Form Teams Which Get Together at Beatrice—Guy Chamberlain in Action.

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 24.—The Tecumseh American Legion football team will meet the Beatrice All-Stars at the Beatrice high school athletic park on Christmas day. The game will be called at 2 p. m.

Both teams are made up of college and high school stars. Beatrice seems to have a little edge on the brightness. Guy Chamberlain, ex-Husker star, now captain of the Canton Bulldogs, professional champions, is making the trip especially for the contest. The former Cornhusker star is asking only expense money for his playing. Beatrice will have seven former Cornhusker's while the Tecumseh squad will have four. The tentative line-ups:

Tecumseh Legion		Beatrice All-Stars
Thomson, Neb.	le	Scherer, Neb.
Shaw, Neb.	lt	McGlasson, Neb.
Grogan, Minn.	lg	Koupal, Notre D.
H. Morrissey, Tech.	c	Day, Neb.
Graf, Peru Coach	rg	M. Munn, Neb.
Bassett, Neb.	rt	Weller, Neb.
B. Stewart	re	Mathews, Beat. H.
Blakely, Tec.	qb	Purdy, Beatrice
Stewart, Wyo.	lh	Chamberlain, Neb.
Jones, Neb.	rh	Leahy, Creighton
Buckley, Tec.	fb	Hubka, Neb.

Interest Shown In Tri-State Pin Meet

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Dec. 24—Interest in the coming tri-state bowling tournament in Sioux City which starts January 31 is growing. Requests for twelve reservations from Omaha five-man teams have already been received. Six Des Moines quintets have also been received. Ft. Dodge, Sioux Falls, S. D., St. Paul, Minneapolis and Chicago teams are coming according to Secretary Ray Ellis of the association.

Navy Squad Ready For Its Long Trip

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 24.—Navy's football squad, with coaches and trainers, will leave at 10 a. m. tomorrow for Pasadena, where the eleven is to play Washington on New Year's day. The squad will have its final workout here this afternoon.

HARRY THAW AGEING FAST.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—The once famous Harry K. Thaw, slayer of Stanford White and former husband of Evelyn Nesbit, is spending his sixth Christmas as an inmate at Kirkbrides—better known as the Pennsylvania hospital for the insane. Now Thaw is fifty-three years old and his confinement is showing. His once ruddy complexion has changed to a yellowish-white, his shoulders are slowly being bent by age, the raven hair is streaked with gray.

SEEK PURPLE GARTER OWNER.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—A pair of purple garters, a union suit and a sack coat are the only clues to the identity of a man John Smale found in his basement last night. The stranger had removed his clothes and prepared to spend the night when Smale appeared.

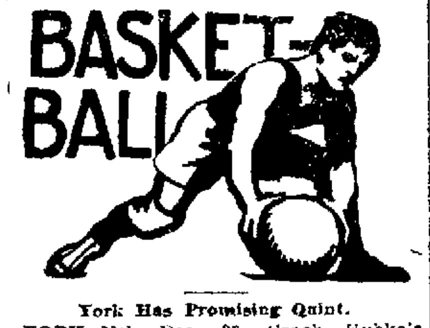
Scraps about Scrappers



New York—Eddie Curry, prominent democrat and personal friend of Governor Smith is being mentioned as the probable successor to William Muldoon as chairman of the New York boxing commission. Muldoon's term expires on January 1 and it is understood that he is not seeking reappointment.

Trenton, N. J.—Harry Ertle, who ran into some excitement when he refereed the Mike McTigue-Young Stribling fight in Columbus, Ga., may be named to handle the Stribling-Dave Rosenberg bout in New York on New Year's day.

East Chicago—Panama Joe Gans has signed to meet Johnny Karr here New Year's afternoon. Gans substituted for Morrie Schlaiffer, Omaha welter, who was injured.



York Has Promising Quint.

YORK, Neb., Dec. 23.—Coach Hubka's basketball team will face a hard schedule for the season of 1924. York has promising prospects for another winning team with four letter men from last year, Captain Ostbloom, Calvert, Sprague and Felton. New men that are showing up well are Heizer, Maurer and Bolton to fill vacancies that were left by graduation. The following games have been scheduled:

January 3—Broken Bow at York.
January 11—Sutton at York.
January 17—Beatrice at Beatrice.
January 25—Lincoln at York.
January 26—Crete at York.
January 30—Geneva at York.
February 1—Grand Island at York.
February 6—Aurora at Aurora.
February 8—Grand Island at Grand Island.
February 9—Lexington at Lexington.
February 13—Geneva at Geneva.
February 15—Hastings at York.
February 21—Seward at York.
February 22—Fremont at Fremont.
February 29—University Place at University Place.

Falls City Prospects Good.

FALLS CITY, Neb., Dec. 23.—With four veterans back in the lineup, Falls City high school's basket ball prospects are more than fair. The four "letter" men who will return to the floor game when the season opens here on January 11 are Murray and Grant Whitford, Wilbert Zorn and Orville Morris.

Falls City's schedule calls for fourteen games, only six of them to be played at home. The schedule:

January 11—Nebraska City here.
January 18—Verdon here.
January 22—Pawnee City there.
January 25—Peru Prep there.
January 30—Verdon there.
February 1—Hiawatha, Kas., here.
February 5—Nebraska City there.
February 8—Shubert here.
February 9—Sabetha, Kas., there.
February 15—Hiawatha, Kas., there.
February 19—Peru Prep here.
February 22—Tournament at Peru.
February 26—Shubert there.
February 29—Pawnee City here.

Clay Center Wins Games.

CLAY CENTER, Neb., Dec. 23.—Clay Center had a successful week on the basketball floor. The local town team won from Button's of Hastings, 24 to 7, while the high school quintet won from Hastings business college, 13 to 11. The locals coming from behind in the last few minutes of play. During the Christmas vacation two games will be played by the high school team, meeting the alumni, December 28 and Alliance, December 31.

Diller Divides Double Header.

DILLER, Neb., Dec. 23.—In a double-header basketball game here Friday evening the Diller boys won from the Hanover, Kas., boys, 14 to 10; while the Kansas girls walloped the Diller girls to the tune of 16 to 3.

Sutton Faces Hard Schedule.

SUTTON, Neb., Dec. 23.—Sutton high school cagesters will face a strong schedule this season with [illegible] veterans on the squad, and with a good lineup of new material. The veterans include Captain G. Wieland, Kuhn, Reuscher, C. Wieland and Groosbans. Early season [illegible] forecast a fast team and a successful season. The schedule:

January 4—Alliance at Sutton.
January 10—Valparaiso at Sutton.
January 11—York at York.
January 18—University Place at University Place.
January 24—Ashland at Sutton. (Tentative.)
January 26—Friend at Sutton.
February 2—Holdrege at Holdrege.
February 8—Ravenna at Sutton.
February 9—South Omaha at Sutton.
February 15—Crete at Crete.
February 22—Clay county tournament.
February 23—Clay county tournament.
February 27—Hastings at Hastings.
February 29—Beatrice at Beatrice.

Ravenna Takes 33-20 Victory.

ST. PAUL, Neb., Dec. 24.—St. Paul high opened the basketball season by losing to Ravenna 33 to 20. In the last half the local team could not overcome the lead which the visitors had attained in the first part of the game. St. Paul high will play Grand Island January 4.

Talmage Wins from Stella.

TALMAGE, Neb., Dec. 24.—Talmage high school basketball five defeated the Stella quintet on Stella's floor, 33 to 4. The ball was in possession of the Talmage players practically all of the time. The first period ended 20 to 0 and the half [illegible] to 1. Talmage is displaying a fine class of basketball this season and the team would do credit to a much larger school. It is very anxious to schedule games with Nebraska City, Auburn, [illegible], Peru and other schools of this class. Write Eden [illegible], manager and coach.

Waco Wins from David City.

WACO, Neb., Dec. 24.—Waco high school won from David City at basketball 18 to 16 Friday. It was one of those games which was not settled until the final whistle sounded. The summary:

Waco—		David City—
Wellman	f	[illegible]
Thorpe	f	Mitchell
Deckford	c	[illegible]
Naser	g	[illegible] Pohl
Gaserman	g	[illegible]

Substitutes: [illegible]. David City: Greer, Aller, Wright.

Field goals: Wellman 2, Thorpe 2, Deckford [illegible], Gaserman 1, Kenack 2, Mitchell [illegible], [illegible] 2, Pohl 1.

Free throws: Wellman 2.

Referee: Ashley, [illegible].

Elm Creek Wins Two Games.

ELM CREEK, Neb., Dec. 24.—The Elm Creek high school won a double header basketball game Friday night, the Elm Creek girls defeating Amherst girls [illegible] and Elm Creek boys [illegible] Amherst boys 21 to 1.

Preparedness.

Chicago News: At a dinner given many years ago in honor of Hall Caine the late Thomas Nelson Page was invited to introduce the English novelist. One of the guests next to Mr. Page, just before the toasts began, passed his menu card around the table with the request that Mr. Caine put his signature on it. "That's a good idea," said Page. "I must do that, too. I've got to introduce Caine in a few minutes and I want to be able to say that I have read something he has written."

Minister: "Do you know where little boys go that smoke cigarettes?"

Boy: "Sure, down in Flanagan's alley."

MISSOURI TIGERS TO REST A WEEK

Coach Bond Believes Intensive Work Calls for Brief Respite Before Coming Here to Open Season.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 22.—The University of Missouri basketball team will have to get along with a little less than a week of vacation for its Christmas celebration, George Bond, Tiger coach, announced today. Other students will spend nearly two weeks at home. The week's vacation, Bond believes, will give his men a rest much needed after their intensive work here since October and bring them back in top shape for their season's opener against Nebraska at Lincoln, January 5.

The Tiger squad will have its final pre-holiday practice Saturday night, and will return to Columbia in time to hold another workout on the following Friday. This will give Bond just about a week to put on the finishing touches before he takes his outfit against the Cornhuskers.

Tiger cage followers, and Coach Bond as well, were much encouraged by the showing which the Missouri squad made against the Kansas City Athletic club five here last Saturday.

"There were a lot of weaknesses, but most of them were of a minor character, which I believe we can remedy before the conference season starts," Bond said in discussing the game. One of the most encouraging features of the Tiger side of the contest was the fact that Bond used eleven men, and all of them showed up well. This fact means that reserves will be plentiful, and that a hard fight is looming for every place on the team.

The veterans of last year's squad—Faurot, Wheat, Lester, Hays and Lewis, all looked good, but several of the new men showed ability which is likely to make it hard for the regulars to keep in the starting lineup all season.

HUSKERS AND BEARS LEAD THEIR LISTS

Nebraska and California Only Two Teams to Establish Supremacy in Their Sections of the Country.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Even in full and complete sympathy with the policy of collegiate athletic heads the commercial side of the game should not be stressed, it is impossible to set aside the observation that the outstanding feature of the 1923 football season was the advance the game made as a profitable sport.

Many figures suitable for general application in all sections of the country can be obtained from the western conference, not because that section ranks others in football enthusiasm, but for the reason that it is better organized.

Figures for the season show that more than $2,000,000 were paid by alumni, students and the general public to see the big games of the western conference. Certainly as much, no doubt, was paid to see the big games of the east.

Army-Navy Game Draws.

More than 200,000 applications were made for tickets to the Army-Navy game and as many would have been made for the Big Three classics if it had not been made clear four or five years ago that it was a waste of time and energy for the public to try to get tickets for those games.

Considering that the average price for football tickets, when they can be bought, ranges between three and four dollars and contrasting this nominal sum with the prices charged for tickets to the big boxing matches, it is unreasonable to reach the conclusion that football is America's leading and most profitable sport.

As long as there can be found no way to prove arguments on the subject, it will always be questionable as the rating of football, baseball and boxing as popular public sports.

Many followers of professional sports believe, however, that with a stadium large enough to accommodate a crowd of any size, there would be more spectators at any one of a half dozen big football games than could be attracted by a heavyweight championship fight or a world's series game.

The 1923 football season proved that no colleges of the bigger football group have a stadium large enough to accommodate the crowds that would like to see the big games.

Penn State Is Example.

The experience of the athletic association at the University of Pennsylvania can be taken as an example of conditions at any number of other institutions.

Last year Pennsylvania opened a new stadium with a capacity of about 60,000, and it was outgrown in one year. At the close of this past season it was suggested that plans be considered immediately to increase the seating capacity another 20,000 or 25,000. It must be considered, also, that Penn did not have what could be regarded as a whale of a team.

Along general lines the 1923 season proved that class is even more widely distributed over the country than it has ever been before and it followed that the day of a "national champion," without process of production, now frowned upon by collegiate authorities, is no nearer and perhaps farther away than it ever has been.

HAS LUNCH SERVED ON REVOLVING DOOR!

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Joe Kopsky, veteran of thirty-eight six-day bicycle races, will compete in the international six-day race here January 5.

ZEV AND GREY LAG IN ENGLISH RACE

American Champion Three-Year-Old Will Be Taken to British Isles Next Spring for Ascot Classic.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Zev, American champion three-year-old, and Grey Lag, the handicap king of the American turf, have been entered by Harry F. Sinclair, their owner, in the 1924 Ascot gold cup races, the big classic of the British track, it was announced.

The two great thorobreds will be shipped to England next spring and will be trained there for the Ascot race, which is to be run in June. They also may be entered in several other big European classics.

Earl Sande and Laverne Fator, the two star riders of the Rancocas stables, will be taken along by Sam Hildreth, the Rancocas trainer.

Des Moines Magnate Says He'll Be Here

A letter received by Secretary Whitten of the chamber of commerce, from E. Lee Keyser, president of the Des Moines Western league club and a member of the committee appointed to dispose of the Sioux City franchise, states he will be glad to come to Lincoln to look over the situation here with reference to placing the Sioux City franchise here. Mr. Keyser's letter:

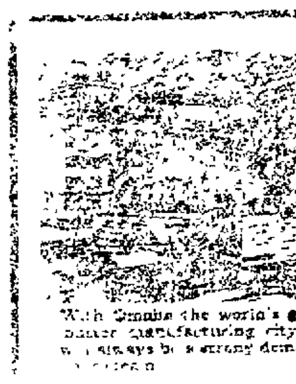
Dr. Mr. Whitten:

Your favor of the 18th inst.

Have delayed several days answering your letter for the reason that I have been trying to get in touch with the committee.

I will be glad to come to Lincoln and meet with your members and would appreciate your advising me if it will be possible to meet with your members and anyone else interested in the matter of Western league baseball in Lincoln. After I have made some inquiries and have talked this matter over we can then have the full committee come to Lincoln.

Yours very truly,
E. LEE KEYSER, President.

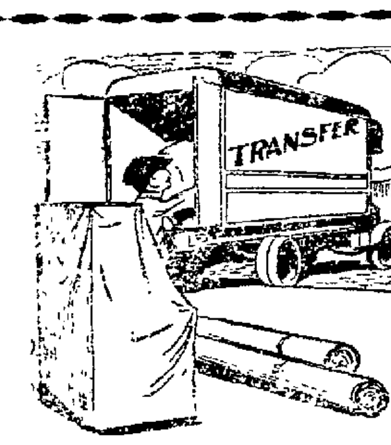


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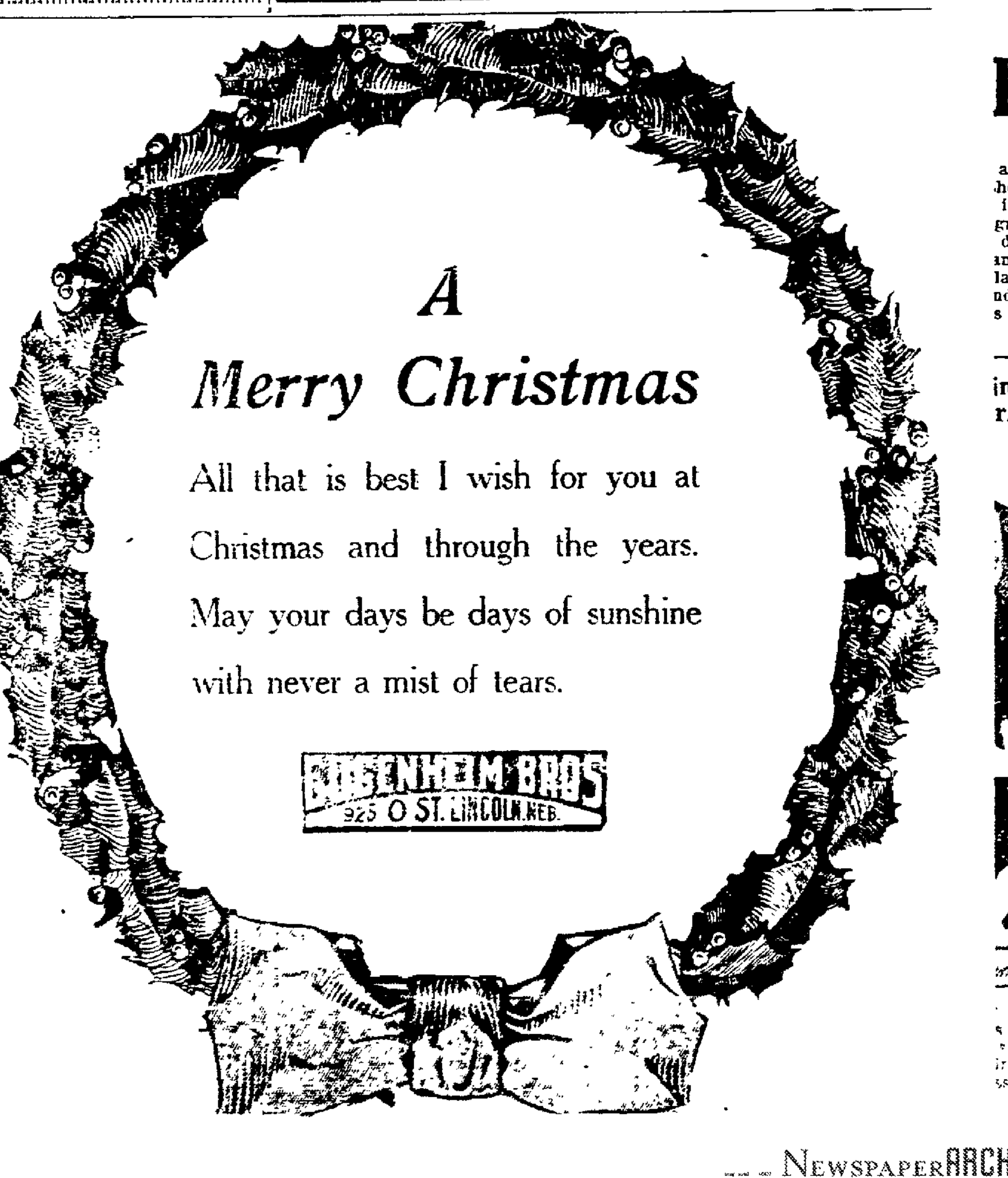
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HANS WAGNER'S LIFE STORY

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CHAPTER 10. THE BUG ENTERS BASEBALL—AT 2 A. M.

By Hans Wagner.

The first big laugh I remember having after I joined the Louisville club and was established as a big leaguer was over Rube Waddell. He came in, you know along about the time I did. I was surprised the other day to find that most fans and a lot of players did not know that Waddell did his first good work with Louisville.

I was a green, awkward kid, unused to big league ways and especially to the fine hotels. I kept my mouth shut, tho, and went right along about my business. The one thing that saved me from a lot of extra joshing I suppose, was because I could always slam the ball. For instance, I joined the club in the middle of the season of 1897 and hit 344 my very first year.

We were on an eastern trip when Waddell joined us at Washington. He was the first real bug, as we now call them, to get a lot of publicity over his freak stunts. Up to that time the writers took baseball very seriously and wrote about it just like the financial experts talk about the stock market.

I notice there has been a lot of discussion lately as to what started the idea that left handed pitchers are bugs. I don't pretend to speak with authority but I am sure that the idea started with Waddell. He was certainly entitled to the honor, if it be one, of putting the left-handers in that rating. I know I had never heard of left-handers being sort of cuckoo until Waddell came along and was heard about ever afterward.

Waddell arrived at the hotel about two o'clock in the morning. We were all in bed since ten o'clock.

"I'm the new star left-hander," Waddell told the clerk, "and I want to report to Manager Clark."

"Really," protested the clerk, "I don't think you had better awaken Mr. Clarke. He went to bed early and doesn't want to be disturbed."

"Makes no difference," insisted Waddell. "I was instructed to report to him and unless I do he won't know what a great pitcher he's got."

"I'm afraid he wouldn't welcome you. My orders are not to awaken him. Why, I can fix you up with a nice room and you can call on him the first thing in the morning."

Clerk Takes no Chances.

"Got to see him now," insisted the Rube. "Can't wait."

"All right, his room is number 312. I won't wake him. You can do it, if you want to risk it."

So Waddell bounded up the stairs and in a minute was knocking on Clarke's door. Fred finally woke up and wanted to know what darn fool was bothering him.

"It's me, Rube Waddell, your new pitcher," the southpaw shouted thru the keyhole.

"Oh, well, tell the clerk to give you a room and I'll see you first thing in the morning."

"Not on your life," came the answer thru the keyhole. "Must see you now or I'll take the first train out of this man's town."

Clarke knew that Rube was a good pitcher—didn't want to lose him. He got up, opened the door and listened to Waddell for a half hour. Rube told him what a great pitcher he was and how he was going to win the pennant for Louisville. Fred began to think he'd have to sit up all night. He was getting nervous, but Waddell wouldn't go.

"I'll tell you what you do," Clarke finally suggested. "I know the other fellows on the team will be disappointed if they don't meet you tonight. So, you go around and wake them all up and introduce yourself."

Waddell thought that a great idea. He went away and let Clarke get to sleep again. Fred got in bed chuckling over what would happen to the other players.

Two hours later it was four o'clock by that time Clarke was aroused again by another loud knocking on his door.

"It's Rube Waddell, your new pitcher, cap'n."

"Well, you either get away from there and go to bed—either that or go back where you came from. I don't care how good a pitcher you are I've got to have some sleep."

Room 128 Didn't Wake.

"Yes, Mr. Clarke, but I'm afraid something has happened. I've met all the boys except the one in room 128 and I can't wake him up. I thought maybe something was wrong and I would like to know."

Clark got up again and called up the clerk to find who was stopping in room 128.

It was Dummy Hoy, the deaf mute outfielder.

I was very young and very green then. I didn't say much about it but I used to laugh every time I looked at Waddell. I never could forget that night when he waked us all up. Dummy Hoy, a great outfielder, by the way, also enjoyed it.

You may wonder how they waked him up when it was necessary to catch a train. He could hear a bell all right but not a knock on the door. He used to tell us that the vibration would wake him. It used to be a favorite joke of ours to have the bellboys page Mr. Hoy when we got into a strange city. After finding him they would tell him he was wanted on the telephone. The blank look on their faces when he started to chase them was funny.

Often I have wondered how it is that men with such afflictions as Dummy Hoy and Dummy Taylor, the two prominent deaf-mutes of the game, should have such wonderful dispositions. They were both the best humored, smiling men you ever saw. They could take a joke and would enjoy it just as much as the others. On the other hand you would sometimes see a big, healthy fellow, who never had an affliction in his life, as grouchy as an old bear.

The thing that impressed my young and inexperienced mind in the big league was the way they travelled all the time but never missed a game and nobody ever had an accident.

Fifteen Times Around World.

I was checking it up last week and I travelled 400,000 miles from the time I joined the Louisville club in 1897 until I finally quit the game deciding to stay at home. That is about fifteen times around the world.

In all that time I never had an accident and never missed a train.

On one occasion our uniform did not arrive, but we played just the same. You should have seen our [illegible]. We borrowed uniforms wherever we could but none of them matched and a lot of the players didn't even have a full outfit. I played in long pants.

While we were in that city, by the way, Chick Frazer invited Manager Clarke and myself to go to a show. As we were about to start some of the youngsters came along. A particularly fresh one asked Clarke how to go about seeing a show.

"Oh," said Chick Frazer, "just tell the man at the ticket window that you are a big league ballplayer and they'll feel honored to pass you and your friends in. All the theatres do that."

The fresh busher took it for granted that he meant it.

We went to the theatre and bought our tickets. Imagine our surprise when we got in and found all the bushers sitting in a prominent box.

The man at the window had fallen for what Frazer had thought would be a good joke. And here we were paying out our good cash.

Tomorrow: Lajoie Thrown in for Good Measure.

End 9th Installment.

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LATEST MARKETS

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Grain prices closed sharply lower on the Chicago board of trade today.

Heavy liquidating in nearby deliveries weakened the optional wheat market today. The trade was of a holiday nature, purely local, except for liquidating.

December weakness featured the corn market. Realizing sales in that delivery caused a downturn which reflected in distant months.

Oats sold at inside figures, being weak and lower with other grains.

Provisions showed further gains at the close.

Chicago Grain Table.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Range of prices was as follows:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Dec.	101½	101¾	100¾	101¼
May	106⅛	106⅝	105⅞	106¼
July	105⅛	105⅜	104⅛	104⅞
Corn—				
Dec.	69⅛	69⅝	68⅞	69⅛
May	73	73	72½	72⅝
July	73⅞	74⅛	73⅝	73¾
Oats—				
Dec.	41¾	41¾	41⅛	41¼
May	44⅝	44⅝	44⅛	44⅛
July	42⅛	42¼	42⅛	42¼
Rye—				
Dec.	67¼	67¾	67	67¾
May	73½	73½	73	73½
Lard—				
Jan.	1215	1222	1215	1222
Ribs—				
Jan.				957

Minneapolis Cash Grain Close.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 24.—Wheat—Good to fancy, $1.09½@1.18½; durum No. 1, fancy, $1.11½@1.18½; durum No. 1, $1.10½@1.13½; northern No. 1, $1.07½@1.10; durum No. 2, fancy, $1.12½@1.15½; durum No. 2, $1.08½@1.11½; northern No. 2, $1.05½@1.07½; durum No. 3, fancy $1.09½@1.13½; durum No. 3, $1.04½@1.05½; northern No. 3, $1.01½@1.03½; Montana durum, hard, No. 1, $1.07½@1.12½; Montana hard, No. 1, $1.04½@1.11½; Minnesota and South Dakota durum, hard, No. 1, $1.04⅛@1.06⅛; Minnesota and South Dakota hard, No. 1, $1.03½@1.04½; amber durum No. 1, fancy, $1.02⅛@1.10¼; amber durum No. 1, 91¼c @$1.01¼; durum No. 1, 89¼@96¼c; amber durum No. 2, fancy, $1.00¼@1.09¼; amber durum No. 2, 89¼@99¼c; durum No. 2, 88¼@95¼c; amber durum No. 3, 87¼@97¼c; durum No. 3, 85¼@93¼c.

Corn—Yellow: No. 2, 64@64¾c; No. 3, 61@63½c; No. 4, 62@62½c; new, 62½c. Mixed, No. 2, 62½@63c; No. 3, 61½@62c; No. 4, 60½@61c.

Winter Oats—No. 2, 39@39½c; No. 3, 38½@38¾c; No. 4, 37@38c.

Barley—Choice, 57@60c; medium, 53@56c; other grades, 47@52c.

Rye—65¾c.

Flax—$2.41@2.44.

Chicago Cash Grain.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Wheat—No. 3 red, $1.05; No. 2 hard, $1.03@1.05½.

Corn—Yellow: No. 2, 71c; No. 3, 68¼@70c; No. 4, 65¼@67c; No. 5, 64½@65½c; No. 6, 63c. White: No. 3, 68½c. Mixed: No. 2, 70¼@70¾c; No. 3, 68@69c; No. 4, 65½c; No. 5, 64¼@65c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 42½@43c; No. 4 white, 41¾c.

Barley—56@72c.

Rye—No. 3, 68½c.

Timothy—$6.50@8.00.

Clover—$12.00@21.75.

St. Louis Cash Grain.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 24.—Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.10½; No. 3 red, $1.08½@1.09; No. 5 red, 98c@$1.05; No. 2 hard, $1.04; No. 3 hard, $1.02; December, $1.03; July, $1.03⅞.

Corn—No. 2 white, 71½c; No. 3 white, 69½c; December, 71¼c; July, 73¾c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 44@44½c; No. 3 white, 43@43½c; No. 4 white, 41½c; December, 42¾c.

Kansas City Cash Grain.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 24.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, $1.02@1.14; dark, $1.04@1.15. No. 2 hard, 99c@$1.11; dark, $1.04@1.15. No. 3 hard, 96@$1.13; dark, $1.02@1.15.

Corn—No. 3 white, 63½@64c; No. 4 white, 62½c; No. 4 yellow, 62@63c; No. 3 mixed, 63½c; No. 4 mixed, 61½@62c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 43½c; No. 3 white, 42½c; No. 4 white, 42c.

Minneapolis Grain Close.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 24.—Grain close: Wheat—July, $1.10½; May, $1.09½; December, $1.05½.

Oats—May, 40½c; December, 38¼c.

Flax—May, $2.42½; January, $2.41¾; December, $2.41.

Rye—July, 68c; May, 65¾c.

Barley—May, 58¾c; December, 57½c.

Duluth Flaxseed Market.

DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 24.—Flaxseed.—December, $2.40½; January, $2.40½; February, $2.42½; May, $2.39.

South St. Paul Livestock.

SOUTH ST. PAUL, Dec. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,600; market, firm, spots higher.

Calves—Receipts, 400; market, steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; market, 25@35c higher; top, $6.75; bulk, $6.40@6.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 500; market, steady.

St. Joseph Livestock.

ST. JOSEPH, Dec. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; market, 15@25c higher.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,500; market, 15@25c higher; top, $6.95; bulk, $6.50@6.95.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; market, 25c up.

Sioux City Livestock.

SIOUX CITY, Dec. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; market, 25c higher.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,500; market, 15@25c higher; top, $6.90; bulk, $6.60@6.90.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,500; market, 15@25c higher.

Indianapolis Livestock Market.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 24.—Hogs—Receipts, 4,000; market, 35@50c higher; best heavies, $7.40@7.50; medium mixed, $7.35@7.45; common, choice, $7.25@7.35; bulk of sales, $7.35@7.50.

Cattle—Receipts, 200; market, strong; steers, $9.00@11.00; cows and heifers, $6.00@10.00.

Calves—Receipts, 250; market, 50c to $1 higher; top, $12.50; bulk, $11.50@12.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 25; market, steady; top $5; lamb top, $12.

Kansas City Livestock.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 24.—Hogs—Receipts, 3,000; market, 25@30c higher to shippers; few sales to packers around 15c higher; packer top $7; bulk desirable 190 to [illegible] pound averages $6.75@7.00; packing sows mostly $6.15@7.00; shipping sows mostly $6.25@6.50; bulk stock pigs $4.50@[illegible].

Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; calves, 300; market active, killing steers and yearlings 15@25c higher; yearlings $9.75; bulk [illegible] $7.50@9.25; better grades she stock 10@15c higher; medium heifers slow; canners and cutters steady to strong; bulls steady; calves 25c higher; veals $8.00 [illegible]; stockers and feeders dull, around steady.

Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; around half receipts in one billing; lambs 25@40c up; [illegible] $12.75; feeding lambs $11.40@[illegible].

Omaha Livestock.

OMAHA, Dec. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, [illegible]; cattle receipts were very light at all points and as a result the market on [illegible] 15@25c higher. [illegible] In the absence of [illegible]

[illegible]

OMAHA, Dec. 24.—Cattle—Receipts.

2,400; market, steady, 10@25c higher; yearlings, $6.50@12.00; steers, $6.50@10.00; cows and heifers, $2.00@8.00; stockers and feeders, $4.00@8.15; calves, $3.50@9.00; bulls and stags, $3.00@5.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,500; market, 15@20c higher; bulk, $6.70@7.00; top, $7.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,500; market, 25@35c higher; yearlings, $8.00@10.00; wethers, $6.00@8.00; lambs, $11.25@12.85; ewes, $4.25@7.25.

East St. Louis Livestock.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Dec. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; market, beef steers 25c up; native beef steers, $7.65@8.25; yearlings and heifers, $9.50 up; cows, $4.00@5.50; canners and cutters, $2.25@3.25; calves, $9.00@10.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; market active, 30@40c higher; heavy, $7.20@7.50; medium, $7.20@7.50; lightweights, $6.50@7.45; light lights, $6.00@7.25; packing sows, $6.00@6.40; pigs, $5.75@6.65; bulk, $7.00@7.35.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; market, lambs 15@25c higher, sheep unchanged, ewes, $4.00@6.50; canners and cutters, $1.00@3.50; wool lambs, $11.00@13.25.

Chicago Livestock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Hogs — Receipts, 38,000; market, 15@25c higher, light lights 25@50c up; top, $7.25, bulk $6.70@7.20; heavyweight, $7.00@7.25; medium, $6.90@7.25; lightweights, $6.70@7.20; light lights, $6.50@6.85; heavy packing, smooth, $6.50@6.75; packing sows, rough, $6.25@6.50; killing pigs, $5.25@6.50.

Cattle—Receipts, 6,000; market active, unevenly higher; fed steers suitable for shipping outlet 25@50c up; matured kinds, fed, $1.00@1.60, grazed predominating; top matured steers $10.90, weight 1,480lbs.; numerous strings $9.25@10.75; plain kinds $7.50@8.50; yearlings scarce, choice kinds absent; she stock strong, 25c up; canners up to $3, few light kinds below $2.60; bulk bologna bulls showing advance, plain sausage bulls $3.85@4.00, heavy beef bulls slow; vealers largely 25@50c up; beeves top $9.00@9.50, several lots up to $10, outsiders paying up to $10.50; demand for stockers and feeders seasonably slow, supply fresh run scarce, strong, spots higher.

Sheep—Receipts, 9,000; market active; fat lambs 25@40c up; sheep strong; bulk fat wooled lambs, early, $13.00@13.35, top to city butchers $13.50; recently short wooled lambs $11.50; yearling wethers $11; choice lightweight ewes $7.50.

New York Liberty Bonds.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—U. S. liberty bonds were quoted here today as follows: 3½'s, 99.17; first 4's, 98.4; first 4¼'s, 98.4; second 4¼'s, 98.5; third 4¼'s, 99.6; fourth 4¼'s, 98.9; new 4¼'s, 99.9.

Wall Street Journal Review.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The initial trading in the stock market was rather dull with firmness thruout the list and in some cases evidence of strength. Marland Oil sold up to 37⅞, a new high record on the recovery, while National Lead made a new top at 139¾.

Steel, common, was up ⅛ at 95, while Chandler Motors showed strength at 64⅝, up ⅝.

Consolidated Gas was one of the active issues, selling at 60⅝, a new high on the rally, while the rights sold above 2.

Opening stock prices: Sinclair 25⅝, off ⅛; New York Central 104; North American 22¼; Northern Pacific 52¼, up ⅛; Cuban Cane, pfd., 63⅞, up ⅝; Tobacco Products 70, off ⅛; U. S. Steel 95, up ⅛; Consolidated Gas 60⅝, up ¼; Asphalt 41⅛; Studebaker 105⅝, up ⅛; Central Leather 13, off ½.

St. Louis Produce Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 24.—Eggs—First country candled, 35c; first ordinary, 28@30c.

Butter—Creamery extras, 54½c; standards, 46c; firsts, 42c; seconds, 38c.

Poultry—Hens, 12@16c; turkeys, 23c; springs, 17c; ducks, 19c; geese, 12@14c; cocks, 10c.

Cheese—Northern twins, 25½c; Young Americas, 25½c.

Potatoes—Red River Ohios, $1.20@1.25; Russet Burbanks, $1.60@1.75; Florida, new, $2.00@3.00 per bushel.

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24. — Butter—Receipts, 8,231 tubs. Creamery extras, 52½c; standards, 49½c; firsts, 44½@47½c; seconds, 42@44c.

Eggs—Receipts, 5,082 cases. Ordinaries, 32@35c; firsts, 40c.

Cheese — Twins, 23c; Young Americas, 25c.

Live Poultry—Receipts, 12 cars. Fowls, 13@18½c; ducks, 18½c; geese, 16c; springs, 18½c; turkeys, 24c; roosters, 12½c.

Potatoes—Receipts, 552 cars. Wisconsin round whites, sacked, 95c@$1.20; Minnesota and North Dakota, U. S. No. 1 and Red River Ohios, $1.15.

New York Produce and Provisions.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Flour—Dull and unchanged.

Pork—Dull; mess, $25.50@26.50.

Lard—Quiet; middle west spot, $13.35@13.45.

Sugar—Dull; raw, $7.28; refined, dull; granulated, $8.90.

Coffee—Rio No. 7, on spot, 10⅝@10¾c; Santos No. 4, 15@15⅝c.

Tallow—Firm; special, 7⅞@7¾c.

Hay—Steady; No. 1, 150@155; No. 3, 125@130; clover, 115@135.

Dressed Poultry—Unsettled; turkeys, 20@40c; chickens, 17@45c; fowls, 13@31c; ducks, 18@32c; capons, 25@50c.

Live Poultry—Unsettled; geese, 22@25c; ducks, 16@32c; fowls, 18@25c; turkeys, 34@38c; roosters, 14c; chickens, 20@28c; broilers, 35@40c.

Cheese—Quiet; state milk, common to specials, 18@26½c; lower grades, 5@14c.

Butter — Quiet; receipts, 4,459 tubs; creamery extras, 54⅞@55c; specials, 55¼@56c; state dairy tubs, 40@54¼c; Danish, 53@54c; Argentine, 41@48c.

Eggs—Steady; receipts, 7,608 cases; nearby whites, fancy, 53@55c; nearby state whites, 42@55c; western whites, 39@53c; nearby browns, 49@59c.

Benevolence.

"Don't set the next meeting for Thursday, please," said Mrs. Dunbar of the club. "I have promised to play bridge at Mrs. Fielding's white elephant sale. She has invited a lot of us there for some games, hoping that we'll patronize the sale. Bridge is getting to be old-fashioned and I'm out of practice."

"You ought to be playing one of these Chinese games," said Mrs. Lewis. "I never can remember the name of them, but they're something like bridge and a little bit like dominoes and quite a lot like five-hundred."

"I've enjoyed it ever so much," said old Mrs. Clark. "We learned it last summer at the hotel down east, but we haven't played much here."

"There's always somebody at a hotel who will teach you anything you want to know," laughed Miss Flint. "One summer I learned bridge from a woman who sat at the next table to ours at dinner and another year I was taught how to play pool by two young men who were staying where we had settled down for the warm months."

"I pick up all my fancy embroidery stitches at hotels," said the hostess.

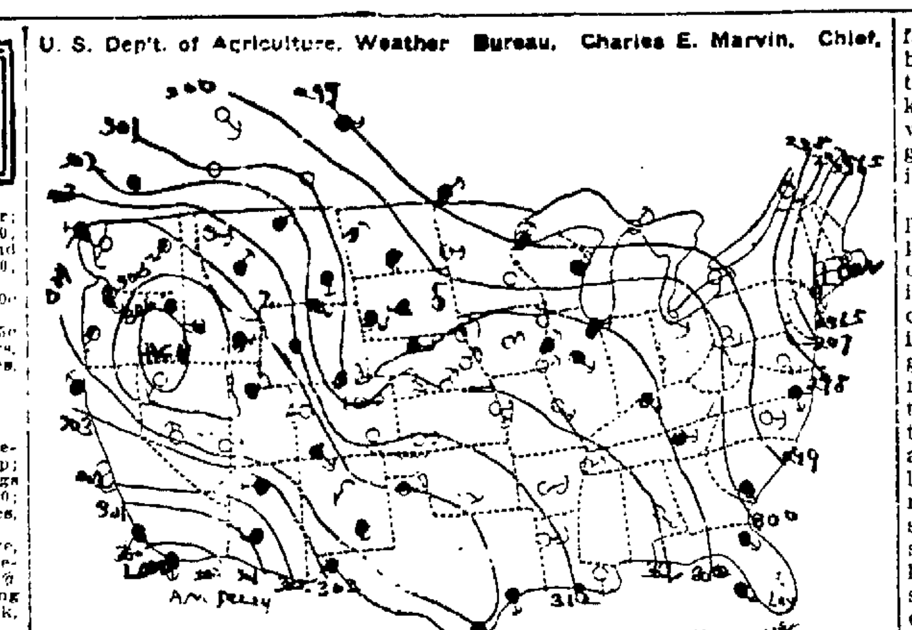
"A woman at the boarding house where we were last summer wanted to teach me how to make macrime lace," laughed Mrs. Dunbar. "Why, gracious! macrime lace was the style for fancy work way back before I was married. If you just wait long enough everything will come back in style, no matter how hopeless it seems."

"I wish I had the beads we used to play with when I was a small child," sighed the new member. "We had the prettiest beads imaginable that we used to string and restring, and we didn't care at all if we broke or lost them. If I had saved them I could save a pretty penny on making bead bags for Christmas, but who ever thought that mere beads could be expensive?"

"I learned something very useful one summer," said Mrs. Phillips. "I was a young girl who wanted to do something and there was a girl who wanted something to do, so she taught me shorthand. It was pure kindness in her, too."

"There were seven of us women

U. S. Dep't. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Charles E. Marvin, Chief.



Observations taken at 7 a. m. Air pressure reduced to sea level and lines drawn thru points of equal pressure. Arrows fly with the wind ◯ clear ◐ partly cloudy, ● cloudy, Ⓡ rain, Ⓢ snow, Ⓜ report missing

Weather Conditions.

The area of low pressure noticed in Louisiana Saturday has moved northeastward to the New England coast and has caused rain generally in the eastern districts. The western area of high pressure has moved little and is still central in Nevada and southern Idaho, but extends southeastward to Texas. The barometer is relatively low along the northern border of the country to the Pacific coast. Light rain has fallen in Washington and Oregon, and light snow has fallen in Montana.

Barometer reduced 30.18 inches.

G. A. LOVELAND Meteorologist.

Observations Taken at 8 A. M.

Bismarck	36	20	0
Boise	34	26	0
Boston	44	34	.34
Buffalo	38	22	.56
Calgary	42	14	0
Charles City	34	22	0
Charleston	64	52	.34
Cheyenne	36	24	0
Chicago	40	28	0
Davenport	36	30	0
Denver	34	22	0
Des Moines	42	22	0
Dodge City	44	24	0
Dubuque	34	28	0
Duluth	38	20	0
Galveston	50	48	0
Grand Junction	38	16	0
Helena	42	36	0
Huron	38	18	0
Jacksonville	72	66	.40
Kansas City	46	28	0
Keokuk	38	28	0
Knoxville	58	40	0
Lander	22	12	0
LINCOLN	46	25	0
Los Angeles	70	54	0
Louisville	46	36	0
Memphis	48	36	0
Minneapolis	30	24	0
St. Paul	30	24	0
Montreal	34	22	0
New Orleans	62	46	0
New York	46	34	.08
Norfolk	62	46	.04
North Platte	42	18	0
Okla. City	50	30	0
Omaha	48	26	0
Peoria	36	32	0
Phoenix	62	46	0
Pittsburgh	52	30	.04
Portland, O.	44	40	.20
Pueblo	42	18	0
Rapid City	40	22	0
St. Louis	40	34	0
Salt Lake City	34	22	0
San Diego	70	50	0
San Francisco	56	46	0
Santa Fe	28	16	0
Seattle	48	38	.06
Sheridan	40	28	0
Sioux City	40	24	0
Spokane	38	30	.02
Springfield, Mo.	..	28	0
Tampa	..	64	.96
Toledo	36	26	.38
Valentine	42	20	0
Washington	55	38	.10
Wichita	..	28	0
Winnipeg	34	24	0
Kellowstone	24	20	.01

folk at the hotel I spoke of, last summer," said old Mrs. Clark. "And most of us were not exactly young; there wasn't much to occupy us while our husbands went fishing, as they did every day. We taught each other solitaires and some new knitting stitches and a pattern or two in cross-stitch, and then we took turns reading aloud from some of the new books."

"That's another thing!" exclaimed Mrs. Dunbar. "The hotels always have a library of the newest books and you can get caught up on all the things you have not had time for at home."

"This was a country place, mainly noted for the fishing," Mrs. Clark went on. "So the library wasn't much to speak of, mostly sets of Scott or Thackeray and people like that. So by and by we began to have very little to think about and the hours dragged a bit."

"Nothing is so stupid as the country after you've got rested," declared the hostess. "Time can drag so terribly and you do get so bored you don't know exactly what to do."

"Just then a young fellow suggested that he teach us how to play mah jongg," old Mrs. Clark continued. "He was a sort of assistant clerk or something, and he had to sit around and do nothing most of the day and he said he would be very glad to get out his set and show us all how to play."

"Wasn't that nice!" exclaimed Mrs. Davis. "There's a spirit of kindly helpfulness at the summer resorts that makes everybody do all he can to show others the interesting and pleasant things to do."

"It was very kind of him," agreed old Mrs. Clark, "or so we thought when he devoted every morning to teaching a bunch of rather stupid old ladies how to play the latest and most fashionable game."

"Indeed it was!" echoed the hostess. "I wish somebody was so good as that to me."

"You may have him and welcome," said old Mrs. Clark drily. "When we women left we found we were all charged $10 on our hotel bill for lessons in mah jongg."—Chicago News.

Charm Here and Abroad.

VIENNA—The two things are different. They cannot be compared in any sense—these varying standards of "charm" in Europe and America. But three is much that we can learn from them and they from us when it comes right down to hard tacks. And it is certainly most interesting to see how one set of women interpret the thing called charm in comparison to another set.

Of course, the primary characteristic in Europe of a woman's charm is fulness of figure, whereas with us it is just the opposite. Abroad they worship maturity as expressed by developed minds, developed stature and developed capabilities. The dancers on the stage all weigh much more than any one who would be considered fit for a New York ballet. They wear fewer clothes, if such a thing is possible, but they show more expanse of figure eventually or at some time to be covered by dressing. An American man would laugh with wild glee if he were to see suddenly and without previous preparation the girl that, in

a foreign man's eyes, is considered the perfect thing.

In the newspapers one sees advertisements for ways and means to reduce women's weight, but from all apparent evidences not one among them has taken advantage of the opportunity suggested to them.

Then there is a growth of hair on a woman's upper lip. Many foreign men consider this eminently charming and are free to admit it. The fact is that the possibility of any other ideal has never occurred to them.

Two men, an American and a Frenchman, were sitting side by side on a railroad train. They both gazed after a girl who walked past them and they looked at each other as tho to appraise and approve her ways and style. Said the American, wishing to be funny, "She had a nice mustache;" and answered the foreigner, "Well, why else did you suppose I admired her?" The poor nonplused American looked then as tho a feather breeze might blow him over, so astonished was he as the other's frank expression of a taste the existence of which he had never even guessed to be possible.

Then the foreign lady thinks much of soft laces about her throat, of necklines which feature the softness of the contour of her throat, of furs and feather boas, of drooping hats and feather plumes. She does everything which might in any way help to make her more feminine and more appealingly attractive to the other sex. There is no such thing as the sports girl, and the business woman in efficient and practical clothes is an altogether unknown quantity. A foreign girl may dress practically but always she remembers that feminine touch which is conducive to womanly charm. That is her motto—her password.

The girls abroad may be cheerful and sweet in spirit but they are never boisterous and apparently gay. They are more old fashioned in their manners. When you examine their thought and the trend of their ideas, you will find that for modern radicalism and freedom of thought they

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Paving Assessment Notice and Notice of Board of Equalization to Equalize the Assessment.

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Further notice is hereby given that the City Council will sit as a Board of Equalization to equalize the above assessment and distribute said tax, in the Council Chamber in the City Hall of said city, located at 10th and O Streets, on Monday the 7th day of January, 1924, and on Tuesday the 8th day of January, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., on said days, with adjournments from day to day until said work of equalizing and distributing said tax upon the several pieces of property described in the above named paving district is completed.

THEO. H. BERG, City Clerk.

far transcend the American girls, but they don't by any means have the same ways of showing it. They keep the sweetness of manner that was the possession of their great-grandmothers—only their republican ideas can be said to have changed.

Please, thank you, thank you, please—these are repeated and repeated by the foreign woman until one might imagine her jaws growing tired with the continual exercise on those two classic words. At first it seems senseless and over exaggerated, but as one listens to the reiteration, one becomes soothed by the surface charm of it, accustomed to its pleasant way and looks back at the American girl and wonders a little why she does not trouble to be more insistently polite. She may say that she is polite, and perhaps she is enough so, but should she listen to those foreign young ladies she would see how her production of ease inducing words might smooth her way unalterably.

Thru all classes of girls this charm radiates. It has different modes of expression, but always you will find it. When you enter a shop the thing surrounds you, when you go into society it is there in another form, when you ride in the street cars you do not find it missing and when you go to the circus it is still ever present.

One must admit, indeed, that an ideal mixture, a blending of one perfect foreign girl and one in America, who has all the attributes of charm as there considered, would make something to be wondered at and loved.

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Water Main Assessment Notice and Notice of Board of Equalization to Equalize the Assessment.

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THEO. H. BERG, City Clerk.

Sewer Assessment Notice and Notice of Board of Equalization to Equalize the Assessment.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that on the 31st day of December, 1923, at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lincoln, Nebraska, to be held at 2 o'clock p. m., or as soon thereafter as possible, in the Council Chamber in the City Hall of said city, the City Council will assess the cost of the Sewer and improvement in Sewer District No. 258, being the sewers in 24th Street from Woodsdale Boulevard to Van Dorn Street, and Van Dorn Street from 24th to Woodsdale Boulevard, in said city, and the following described real estate benefitted, to-wit: All of Woods Bros. Country Club Addition.

Further notice is hereby given that the City Council will sit as a Board of Equalization to equalize the above assessment and distribute said tax, in the Council Chamber in the City Hall of said city, located at 10th and O Streets, on Monday the 7th day of January, 1924, and on Tuesday the 8th day of January, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., on said days, with adjournments from day to day until said work of equalizing and distributing said tax upon the several pieces of property described in the above named sewer district is completed.

THEO. H. BERG, City Clerk.

Paving Assessment Notice and Notice of Board of Equalization to Equalize the Assessment.

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Further notice is hereby given, that the City Council will sit as a Board of Equalization to equalize the above assessment and distribute said tax, in the Council Chamber in the City Hall of said city, located at 10th and O streets, on Monday the 7th day of January, 1924, and on Tuesday the 8th day of January, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., on said days, with adjournments from day to day until said work of equalizing and distributing said tax upon the several pieces of property described in the above named paving district is completed.

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[illegible]

THEO. H. BERG, City Clerk.

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THEO. H. BERG, City Clerk.

Sewer Assessment Notice and Notice of Board of Equalization to Equalize the Assessment.

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THEO. H. BERG, City Clerk.

Resurfacing Assessment Notice and Notice of Board of Equalization to Equalize the Assessment.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that on the 31st day of December, 1923, at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lincoln, Nebraska, to be held at 2 o'clock p. m., or as soon thereafter as possible, in the Council Chamber in the City Hall of said city, the City Council will assess the cost of resurfacing and improvement in Resurfacing District No. 5, so far as the same has been completed and accepted, being that portion of Eleventh street in said Resurfacing District No. 5 lying between the south line of "O" street and the north line of "M" street and abutting and in front of the following described real estate, to-wit: The east half of Blocks 55 and 68, and the west half of Blocks 56 and 67, all in the Original Plat of the City of Lincoln, Nebraska.

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THEO. H. BERG, City Clerk.

Paving Assessment Notice and Notice of Board of Equalization to Equalize the Assessment.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that on the 31st day of December, 1923, at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lincoln, Nebraska, to be held at 2 o'clock p. m., or as soon thereafter as possible, in the Council Chamber in the City Hall of said city, the City Council will assess the cost of the paving and improvement in Paving District No. 531, being 21st street from Sumner street to north line of Hardenberg's Sub., and Sumner street from 21st to 22nd streets, in said city, and the following described real estate benefited, to-wit: Lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, and Lots 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19, of Ames' Subdivision of Lots 6, 7, 8, 12, 13 and 14, replat of Prospect Place; Lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, replat of Prospect Place; and Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 and south half of Lots 4 and 11, Block 11, Pleasant Hill Sub.

Further notice is hereby given, that the City Council will sit as a Board of Equalization to equalize the above assessment and distribute said tax, in the Council Chamber in the City Hall of said city, located at 10th and O streets, on Monday the 7th day of January, 1924, and on Tuesday the 8th day of January, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., on said days, with adjournments from day to day until said work of equalizing and distributing said tax upon the several pieces of property described in the above named paving district is completed.

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THEO. H. BERG, City Clerk.

Notice to Dealers in Gasoline.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Lincoln, Nebraska, up to 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday December 29th, 1923, for 10,000 gallons of 58-60 New Navy Specification Gasoline for the use of the motor vehicles of the City of Lincoln. The Engineer's estimate of the cost of furnishing the same is $500 F. O. B. Group Three.

The gasoline shall meet the requirements of the New Navy Specifications and be in conformity with the laws of the State of Nebraska.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any defect in bids.

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Further notice is hereby given, that the City Council will sit as a Board of Equalization to equalize the above assessment and distribute said tax, in the Council Chamber in the City Hall of said city, located at 10th and O streets, on Monday the 7th day of January, 1924, and on Tuesday the 8th day of January, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., on said days, with adjournments from day to day until said work of equalizing and distributing said tax upon the several pieces of property described in the above named paving district is completed.

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THEO. H. BERG, City Clerk.

Paving Assessment Notice and Notice of Board of Equalization to Equalize the Assessment.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that on the 31st day of December, 1923, at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lincoln, Nebraska, to be held at 2 o'clock p. m., or as soon thereafter as possible, in the Council Chamber in the City Hall of said city, the City Council will assess the cost of the paving and improvement in Paving District No. [illegible], being 18th street from P street to Q street, [illegible] East half of [illegible] Kinney's O Street Add.

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HAND PURSE—Brown leather, between 21st and O and 11th and O Sts., containing Eastern Star receipts and money. Reward. Return to 2116 P St. Chas. J. Stasny, Polk-Brown Jewelry Dept.

TOURIST lost black traveling bag on D. L. D. between Utica and 33rd and Holdrege. Information call B3011 or Aural Hotel and receive reward.

STRAYED from 1201 E St., a small female cat, white with blue eyes. Please return to 1201 E St. or call B1590. Reward.

GRAY COMB—With blue and green sets; lost on university campus. Return to 1437 S or call L8921, liberal reward.

CHOKER, brown fur, lost Friday. Nell Drummond, F4363, 1212 So. 23d, or Nebraska Buick Co. Reward.

GOLD BAR PIN—Lost; diamond in center; reward. F4076.

STRAYED—A team of white horses. Phone 2103 College.

CAMEO STICK PIN lost, keepsake to owner, call L1608; liberal reward.

GLASSES LOST—Gray rim, between R and J and 13th. Reward. Call F3914.

SPECIAL NOTICES. 9

OPEN All night—Cornhusker Filling Station, 13th and High St.

HEMSTITCHING. 9-A

HEMSTITCHING and PLEATING—satisfactory work guaranteed. Buttons covered. One day service on mail orders. Sewing Machine Exchange, 134 So. 12th. L8778.

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HEMSTITCHING—All materials, 8 cents. Mrs. Nelson, 1220 M St. Reusch Electrical Shop. B2444.

Automobiles.

AUTOMOBILE FOR SALE. 10

SEE US FIRST FOR USED CARS NEBRASKA BUICK AUTO CO. USED CAR DEPT. 13TH AND Q.

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WE BUY, SELL AND EXCHANGE GOOD USED CARS. LINCOLN AUTO EXCHANGE 1027 P—B2130

FOR "BETTER" USED CARS SEE DEBROWN AUTO SALES CO. 1717 O. B6863.

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FORD TOURING, 1923, for sale or trade for stock. M1538.

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SAVE HALF on your repair bill by having your car repaired or overhauled in our shop by expert mechanics. We tell you in advance exactly what the cost will be and guarantee all work both mechanical and electrical. We also do expert welding and brazing. Lincoln Auto and Tractor School, 2415 O St.

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USED TIRES—ALL SIZES—1730 O.

LARGE STOCK USED TIRES.—1137 P.

USED Tire Bargains. Pettits. 2377 O.

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DRIVE A FORD YOURSELF. NEBRASKA RENT-A-FORD COMPANY. 1333 P ST. B4708.

NEW FORDS FOR RENT without driver. CAPITAL AUTO LIVERY CO. N. W. Cor 11TH & Q.—B2696.

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JUVENILE Bicycle for sale, in fine condition, for boy 7 to 10 years old, for $15. FRAZIER CYCLE CO., [illegible] So. 11 St.

GIRLS' Full size [illegible] or bicycle, first class condition. Iron bed, springs and mattress. F1555.

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CENTRAL HOTEL Lincoln's largest popular priced home-like hotel, 160 clean, quiet pleasant rooms, special rates by week; free use of large lobby, baths, writing room and phone. Cafe in connection.

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VERY DESIRABLE [illegible] housekeeping [illegible] Well furnished, of [illegible] Very Clean. Office, B1542.

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[illegible] furnished housekeeping [illegible] modern home, hot water [illegible]

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NICE ROOM and garage; $15. B1652.

SEVENTH, NORTH, 235—Rooms, 50c and up.

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THREE NICE unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; modern but heat. 510 So. 18th.

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OLD LADIES wanted to room and board in private home with business lady and housekeeper; close in. Address 504 Journal.

TEA STREET, 3231.—Small children wanted to board and room. Best of care.

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BATH RUGS and rag carpet weaving. Rugs made from old Brussels and ingrain carpets. B1274 or write Reliable Weavers, 622 No. 31, Lincoln.

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MARCELLING done at your home, reasonable. Phone B4290.

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HAULING—All kinds and odd jobs, at reasonable prices. Call F2309.

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DRESSMAKING—Ladies' and gentlemen's tailoring. Work guaranteed. Remodeling. Reasonable. B3819.

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PAPERHANGING and Painting, 1924 patterns. Call for sample books. Havens, L1928.

PAINTING and paperhanging; the best guaranteed work for less. Blumenroth. F2494.

PAINTING Paperhanging, reasonable. L9130.

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WANTED—Housekeeper on farm; one who wants home more than wages. Address 525 Journal.

COMPETENT woman or girl for house work, close in, small family, good wages. B1567.

EXPERIENCED GIRL—Three in family; no children; no washing. F1950. 1549 Prospect.

GIRL WANTED for general housework. Call F2177.

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Commercial, must also have college degree, at once. Domestic science and music, or either with some other high school subject $1350-$1500. Other second semester positions open now, good salaries. THE EDUCATIONAL INTERCHANGE 401 Bankers Life Bldg. B1596.

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TRI-CITY BARBER college wants men and women to learn barber trade, wages and percentage paid. Catalog free. 918 P St. Lincoln.

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THOROUGHBRED Scotch Collie puppies for sale. Call College 190J., or write Box 55, Normal, Nebraska.

BOSTON Bull dog for sale, good one, reasonable. Call F5166.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

Of high grade stock and machinery. We are discontinuing farming, therefore, will sell all our personal property at farm, 5 1-2 miles southwest of Lincoln, or 1 mile west and 1 mile south of State Hospital.

FRIDAY, DEC. 28th.

SALE WILL START AT 10:00 O'CLOCK

Free lunch at noon, bring cup.

Nine good horses and mules, all sound, with plenty of size.

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It will be impossible for us to enumerate everything for this is a complete line of farm equipment including 7-pass. Willys-Knight car, 2 Ford trucks, Wallis tractor, plow and tandem disk, separator, Stover hay cutter, 3 wagons, 2 gas engines, 2 grain binders, other machinery, 4 sets heavy harness, feed bunks, 10 indiv. hog houses, etc. This machinery is practically new and in first class condition.

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ELKHORN Valley hay and alfalfa on track at all times; car lots our specialty. Out of town orders solicited. L. C. GILLETT & SONS B1286 510 Little Bldg.

BALED ALFALFA FOR SALE Havelock 174-W.

FORTY-FIVE GEESE, 9 ducks, team, wagon, harness, and new walking lister. 2018 D, Uni Place M3246

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NICE FRESH dressed chickens, delivered anytime, anyplace. Call Rural 5304.

SPRINGS, Dressed or alive; fresh eggs delivered. F5018.

APPLES—$1.00, potatoes, 75 cts. Taylor Orchard 60th & O L4197

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GET YOUR wife a worth while present—An Electric Washer, a new Gas Range, a combination Gas and Coal Range. Prices right, terms easy. HALL'S, 1517 O.

USED 2-oven Hotel Range, large size, good as new, $125. HALL'S, 1517 O.

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DETROIT JEWELL Gas stove, $25; round oak dining table, like new, $12; floor waxer, $2; large sideboard, $10; steel kitchen cabinet, $15; sanitary cot, $2.50, 3046 N St. L5611.

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USED hand washers. Reusch, 1220 M.

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XYLOPHONE—New Degan "lite wate", with case, $65. Call F1254.

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TWO NEW upright pianos, standard make at a bargain. B2475.

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UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITER, latest model, perfect condition. Bargain, F1529.

LIQUID CARBONIC soda fountain, 5 ft., for sale, B3771.

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To get that radio or supplies before Christmas.

M-1 Magnavox $35.00
"Erla" transformer .... $ 5.00
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All other parts, and we can supply you at once.

WITTMANN RADIO CO Open Evenings. 207 So. 11th St. B4531

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BLACK PAN velvet evening gown trimmed with silver lace, size 38, never worn. Big bargain. Address 526 Journal.

GENTLEMAN'S Dress suit for sale. Medium size. Call B2675.

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QUEEN INCUBATORS at factory prices. Trade in your old incubator (any kind) for the latest 1924 improved Queen. Gunn Seed Co., 127 So. 10th.

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BABY CAB, ivory, very fine; splendid condition; a real bargain. Call L7957.

COAL WAGON, box and running gear for sale. Phone B6325. Address 103 M.

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WANTED—TO BUY 67

HIGHEST PRICES paid for all kinds of junk. Rags, $1 per 100 lbs. Magazines 75c 100 lbs. And all kinds of metal. Call B4757. Our wagon will call.

WANTED to buy or lease telephone exchange, 150 to 500 phones; will lease one, three or five years. P. O. Box 247. Fairbury, Neb.

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EIGHT OR TEN foot floor show case wanted. Knight's Grocery, B3208.

WANTED—Men's clothes. Call B2556 205 No. 9th St.

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INCOME PROPERTY—New, fireproof, nearly $10,000 net income, will take large ranch or good farm as part pay. This is one of Lincoln's best properties. We know values. B1617 E. M. PARDEE F1894 With D. M. DOUTHETT LAND & INV. CO. 208 Little Bldg.

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EIGHTY ACRES improved near Crete. Want acreage. Eighty acres, improved, near College View. Want merchandise or land in Deuel county. V. D. Timmerman.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE 70

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

640 Acres nicely located, well improved, two good sets of improvements, main highway. Encumbrance $10,000; a quarter runs a long time. Will deal for a ranch. This land is in Thayer county, Nebraska.

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FOR RENT Very fine five room apartment, close in. B1225

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NINETEENTH ST., SOUTH, 112 -- Two and four room apartments in modern building, steam heat. L5395.

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NEW APARTMENT, close in, south side, a real home, also good 4 room modern but heat. 1202 G. B4157

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FOURTEENTH ST., South, $45—First floor five room modern apartment; large porch, nice yard.

SUITE of rooms steam heated. 1329 O St. $20 month. [illegible]

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FLATS AND APARTMENTS 73

FOUR Room and bath apartment, nice condition. 1036 G. Phone M3107.

TO SUBLET unusually nice five-room apartment; immediate possession B1225.

FLATS—FURNISHED 74

CUT DOWN the high cost of rent by moving into a new convenient attractive all modern well furnished apartment, suitable for four persons; rents for $42.50 per month. Opposite university campus. Tel. L7956.

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TWO ROOMS, bath and kitchenette, all modern, well furnished apartment, suitable for two business ladies; rents for $37.50. Tel. L7956.

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BELVEDERE, N St., 1124.—New furnished apartments. Call B3564 or F2376.

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THE LENNOX—New furnished apartments 1132 N St. Call B4332 or B2071.

N STREET, 1726.—Two lovely apartments, first and second floor, modern. L6271.

HOUSES FOR RENT 75

IF YOU WANT to buy or rent an up-to-the-minute stucco five-room cottage, see the one just being finished, 28th and Vine Sts., $50. Also 5-room cottage with water and lights, 3002 Oak St. $17. And six-room cottage with water and light, 3022 Oak St., $20. F. E. Folts, owner, B2566.

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SIXTEENTH STREET, SOUTH, 1601—Nine room home, east front. Can be converted into duplex, live in part, and pay for home with rent from other part. Price $8,750. Easy terms. B1757; B4124.

SOUTH ST., 627—Our home for rent, $40 per month; six rooms and bath; strictly modern; full lot; on paving; will lease to reliable parties. Inquire 627 South St., or 140 So. 10th.

FIVE ROOM bungalow, all modern and nicely furnished, 2201 So. 14th, $50. Five room cottage, partly modern, 1820 So. 10th, $23. E. H. SCHRODER CO.

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MODERN 5 room cottage, 14th street, north of South St., $35. Phone B2812.

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FIFTEENTH, NORTH, [illegible]—All modern, 5 room house, garage. Phone L6604

M ST. 1728—Three room apartment, attractive, modern, well furnished. B6125.

HOUSES—FURNISHED 76

NEW FOUR ROOM furnished house, modern. Call L6274 for appointment.

OFFICE AND DESK ROOM 77

VERY DESIRABLE office room 16x16, good location, $20 per month. Call L5292.

O ST. 1521—Good store room for rent [illegible]

TWO ROOMS [illegible] Good location [illegible]

FOR RENT—New [illegible] F2141

STORES AND WAREHOUSES 78

[illegible] New [illegible] possession. Delavan Hotel, 119 So. 13th.

Gifts for Every Member of the Family

His Gifts

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

Diamond Rings	25.00	to	1125.00
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—EASY PAYMENTS— —BUY NOW— —PAY AFTER CHRISTMAS— HARRIS-GOAR CO. 1330 O ST.

STOP SIGNALS—Make wonderful Christmas gifts. Be different this year and give him a Stop Signal for his car. The Stover Stop Signal is the one equipped with the arrow pointing to the right and left turn—red stop signal and green parking lamp all in one lamp for the rear of the car. These stop signals are now on display at the Nebraska Buick Auto Co. Supply Division 13th and Q Streets

GIFTS OF REAL VALUE TO HIM—Binoculars, field glasses, shotguns, automatic revolvers, safety razors, pocket knives, flashlights and anything in the way of tools. Be sure to give him something useful this Xmas. WITTMANN'S HDWE.—140 NO. 10TH.

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SUGGESTIONS for him—Cigaret cases and holders, belts, buckles, fountain pens, Eversharp pencils, watches, watch chains, knives, etc. FENTON B FLEMING 1143 O St.

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Her Gifts

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Ladies or gents $75.00 diamond rings for only $49.50—$5 down and $1.50 a week. HARRIS-GOAR CO. 1330 O Street.

WRIST WATCHES $35

15 Jewel 14-K white gold case, special only $25—$5 down, $1 a week. HARRIS-GOAR CO. 1330 O Street.

FOR HER.

A SET OF ivory handled Fuller Brushes or ivory vanity case, ivory manicure tray, ivory comb. Call L6662 and have Fuller Man show you complete line. If working during day evening appointments if desired.

DOES SHE HAVE a wrist watch? If not, what would please her more? We carry all of the standard makes in a wide variety of cases. FENTON B. FLEMING, 1143 O St.

MAKE THIS her happiest Christmas. Buy her a Woodrow washer. The kind she has always wanted. H. Reusch, 1220 M St. L2444.

Children's Gifts

XMAS TREES.

NORTHERN Spruce, very select stock, all sizes; rustic stands if wanted. On display at GRAND GROCERY CO. Corner of Tenth and P Sts. Phone B2914. WE DELIVER!

SEE OUR LINE of Velocipedes, Wagons, Kiddie Cars—in fact, a complete line of wheel goods to make this a better Xmas. WITTMANN'S HDWE., 140 NO. 10TH.

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BIG STOCK of Bicycles, new and used. Prices the lowest. Frazier's, 308 So. Eleventh St.

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TOYS AT YOUR OWN PRICE sold at auction every night, 7.30. Lincoln Auction House, 1537 O.

Family Gifts

A FINE XMAS GIFT. Boxed Delicious, Grimes Golden Spitzenburg, Jonathans, Winter Banas; all kinds of basket apples. SQUARE DEAL FRUIT CO. 145 So. 9th.

CLOCKS FOR THE CAR—Eight-day, stem wind and rim set clocks for the dash. These make useful Christmas gifts and are now on display at the Nebraska Buick Auto Co. Supply Division, at 13th and Q Streets.

THE [illegible] gift for Christmas. CHAPMAN MOTOR CO., 1546 O St.

GRAY CAR—The best gift for the family. Let us show you. Gray Lincoln Motor Co. 1634 O St.

"DAD," SEE TALBOT FOR THAT 'BUICK' FOR THE FAMILY.

A GOOD MAXWELL FOR THE FAMILY

Home Gifts

BOYCE MOTOMETERS — An accessory that gives added appearance to any car. Any motorist is glad to get a motometer—they are truly a very useful Gift. These come in five sizes: De luxe, Standard, Universal Junior and Midget. See Monogram Radiator Caps. Nebraska Buick Auto Co., Supply Division

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BUY A POLLY ANNA ELECTRIC WASHER FOR CHRISTMAS. IT WILL MAKE JOYFUL MUSIC, AND RETURN BIG DIVIDENDS. CALL AT HALL'S—1517 O.

PRACTICAL GIFTS for the home—Floor lamps, table lamps, leather rockers, parlor suites, rugs, doll buggies, wagons, coasters. We save you money. PEOPLE'S FURNITURE STORE 1546 O St.

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CANARY SINGERS, Love Birds or Parrots are fine Christmas gifts. GRISWOLD SEED & NURSERY CO.

STORES AND WAREHOUSES 78

P STREET—Three new, modern store rooms in retail district. Ready first of November. F. D. Eager, B2141, 143 No 13th St.

THIRD FLOOR and basement for rent. Heat furnished. 1520 N street, phone B2854. Richmond Candy Co.

WANTED—TO RENT 80

WILL BUY a bargain or rent six-room house immediately; preferably near high school or southeast Lincoln. Call room 111, Savoy Hotel, 4 to 6 p. m.

Real Estate for Sale.

ACREAGE FOR SALE 81

SMALL Acreage, modern improvements, near car line; pavement, at Uni Place. Owner moving to city. Immediate possession. Inquire at 1941 O St., Lincoln. Phone B1465, or F2135.

HOUSES FOR SALE. 83

BEST CONSTRUCTION

THE BEAUTIFUL brand new homes at 2500 Franklin street are open any time today for inspection. We want you to note the heavy concrete base under the foundation, to the 6 in. joists in the attic floor.

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Prices on these fine homes, with fireplaces, finest oak and enamel, full lots, etc., are as low as $4950. Good terms, too!

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FOR SALE [illegible] STAR REAL ESTATE CO.

HOMES TO SUIT [illegible] JOHN [illegible]

BARGAIN [illegible]

HOUSES FOR SALE 83

TWO MODERN HOUSES Must be sold to close an estate, get busy and let us show you this property. JOHN LONAM, B1200—B6010

TWENTY-THIRD ST., SOUTH 2022—Full two story 8 room home, in Prescott district. Sun room, kitchen, dining room, sleeping porch, three full bedrooms. B1757—L6378.

SIXTEENTH STREET, SOUTH, 1601.—Nine room house, east front. Can be converted into duplex, live in part, and pay for home with rent from other part. Price $8,750. Easy terms. B1757, B4124.

FIVE-ROOM bungalow, modern, 75-foot front, garage, near agricultural school, terms, immediate possession. Owner, M2188.

$4500—NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW—Oak, east front, garage, near state farm; will take good lot. Bargain. MITCHELL—B2634

$5,000—SIX ROOM ALL MODERN, east, walking distance, paving paid, $700 and $35 per month will handle. Home real Estate, B2134.

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FOR A REAL BARGAIN Drive out and see 2103 Ryons; 2-story brick. GRONQUIST, L7499, F3164.

SOUTHEAST—New modern home, six rooms, built-in features and bath, garage. Phone B4619 or F4125.

HOME ON MONTHLY PAYMENTS. Best Christmas present for family. Several. Your terms. GOSS, B4108.

MODERN [illegible] cottage, good furnace, good neighborhood, on 14th street, north of South St. price $3200. Phone B2512

EIGHT Room modern house [illegible] Call L9125

LOTS FOR SALE. 84

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LANDS AND FARMS FOR SALE. 85

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LANDS AND FARMS FOR SALE 85

WE HAVE SOME SPECIAL bargains in eastern Nebraska farm lands. CHRIS HICKEY, 126 So. 11th, Lincoln, Neb.

EASTERN NEBRASKA FARMS. John Lonam, The Land Man, Nebraska State Bank Bldg., B1200.

SEVEN ACRES; nice five room house and other buildings, all fenced; possession at once. M. R. Gibbons, Exeter, Neb.

ROOMING HOUSES FOR SALE 85A

FURNITURE and LEASE of 12 rooms, close in. South side, bargain this week. Other business. Phone B6372.

CHOICE Rooming house, furniture and lease for sale, good location. Call B3717.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE. 88

HAVE BUNGALOW— WANT FARM—

Will apply all modern 6-room bungalow, S. E. and pay cash on good improved 80 acre farm

D. W. HAYES LAND CO. 306 Sec. Mut. Bldg.

CITY PROPERTY—Cash buyer for real bargain [illegible] 221 Little Bldg.

Feet and Walkers.

Toledo Blade: "It is an exploded theory"—says Dr. Joseph E. Root of Hartford, Conn.—"that people with low arches can never make good walkers. The doughboy in the war proved that. Unless the bones of the foot have fallen so far that feet actually 'pony in,' the persons with flat feet are in most cases as good as any."

Which recalls the story of the recruit from the southern mountains who was rejected by examining army officers because he had flat feet.

"Dog-gone," he exclaimed, "now I got to walk all the way home again!"

"How far did you walk coming here?"

"'Bout ninety mile, an' hit took me nearly two days."

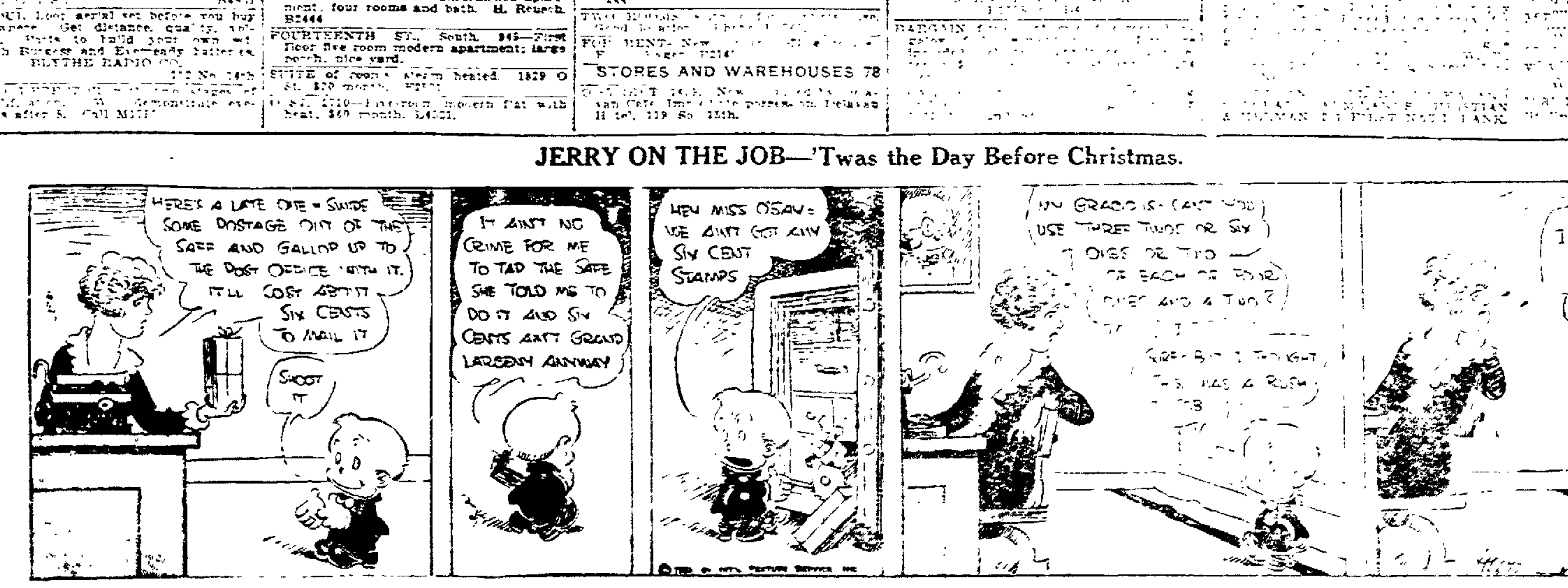
Co-operation.

Los Angeles Express: "Say doctor," said the brawny scrubwoman, "you're gettin' a pretty good thing out o' tendin' that rich Smith boy, ain't yer?"

"Well," said the doctor, [illegible] "I get a pretty good fee, yes, why?"

"Well, doctor, I hope you won't forget that my Willie threw the brick that [illegible]"

JERRY ON THE JOB—'Twas the Day Before Christmas.



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B1573

MEN AND THINGS

The branch line problem is becoming acute with Nebraska railroads, and doubtless with railroads in other states, as this one is no different from others. The railroads, generally speaking, are losing money on these, chiefly because the automobile is doing the short haul business. Every time, however, that a company desires to take one of these off every town along the line enters a protest. The people want the train so that if they cannot use their machines it will be handy for them. Railroads have to make money or they cannot get the capital to finance the equipment and extensions that commerce demands. If they lose on branch line traffic they must make it up on main line or freight traffic. How can there be any hope for reduced freight rates under a condition that contributes to higher rates?

The mayor of Louisville has invented a system of mathematics in which the whole business is vastly simplified, and among other things he does away entirely with subtraction and division. He hopes to see the system adopted by the schools of the country. That's just our luck. We never were strong on mathematics and even now we can get more different answers in toying with a column of figures than we have fingers. Consider the time we lost in studying the old system and in committing poetry to memory, and we could have learned a lot about writing prose.

If you are rich and live in New York you can spend two or three hundred dollars for a box of candy to present to somebody you loved more than you did the money. Two or three hundred dollars of value could not possibly be put into either the candy or the carton that enclosed it, nor in the two together. It follows that the price is an arbitrarily fixed one made to catch the fancy of those weak-minded people who are willing to pay a large price for something because the price is high. And yet we wonder why we have communists!

An exchange quotes approvingly what a farmer said to a merchant who pressed him for payment of his account. When he replied that he had no money, the storekeeper suggested that he go down to the bank and borrow it. The farmer said, "No, sir. I've paid all the interest I am ever going to. You'll have to wait till I can sell some corn." Passing over the fact that there is an element of immorality in asking somebody else to carry your debts, which is another way of asking him to pay your interest, it might be well to remark that that farmer will never see the day when he stops paying interest. It is as much a part of the cost of every article we buy as the cost of the raw material itself.

Attention has been called to the fact that this column has said that rail labor is now getting 56 per cent more than it did in 1913. The report of the interstate commerce commission gives these figures. In 1913 the average wage drawn by rail workers outside of the list of officials was $761; in 1922, it was $1,622, or 113 per cent more. In 1916 the average hourly wage was 27.6 cents per hour; in 1922, 61.3 cents, or an increase of 122 per cent. In 1916 the number of men engaged in rail work was 1,599,158; in 1922, it was 1,627,120. In the meantime the hours of labor per year have been reduced from 3,100 in 1916 to 2,649 in 1922.

The interstate commerce commission figures show that in 1913 the railroads of the country were getting as net income 21.8 cents out of every dollar of revenue, in 1922, they got 13.7 cents. In 1914 the salaries and wages took 41 cents of every dollar of revenue; now they take 44.4 cents. In 1914 7.8 cents of the revenue dollar went for fuel, now it is 9.3 cents. In 1914 18.2 cents went for materials and supplies; in 1922, 20.7 cents.

SKYSCRAPERS SHRINK IN WINTER.

From the Popular Science Monthly. New York skyscrapers are from one and one-fifth to one and one-half inches shorter in midwinter than they are in summer, according to a test recently made by the National Association of Building Owners and Managers. The changes in height are due to expansion and shrinkage of the steel skeletons of the buildings

ABE MARTIN



Th' president's message t' congress not only made a big hit, but it showed he wuzn' a demagog or he'd urged immediate relief fer th' farmer. We kin cajole a woman, but we can't drive her t' nothin' but desperation

BRAIN TESTS

(By Sam Loyd)

A CHARADE

My first's a half a dozen,
Upon a mountain placed;
The prospect, thence, without my whole,
Would darkness seem, and waste.
What is the word?

Answer to Saturday's.

BERTHA plus CORN minus ACORN plus SEA plus TIER minus SEAT leaves BERTHIER

WALT MASON

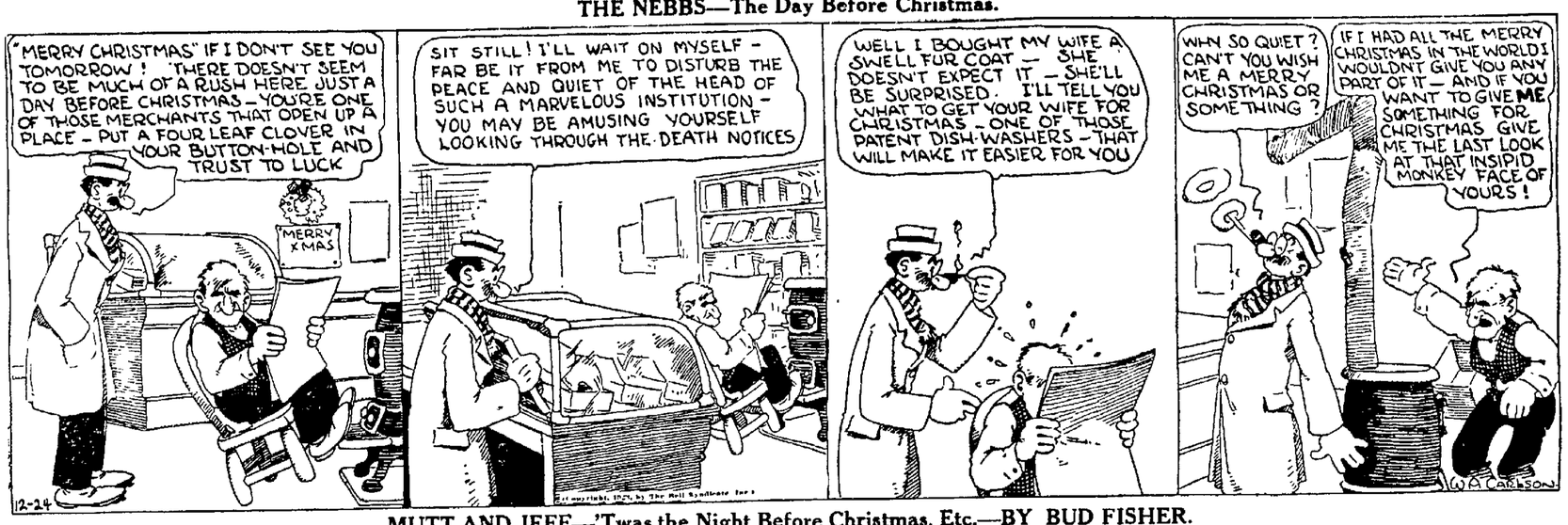
Four Legs.

The good old horse I used to drive! I sometimes wish he were alive, he something lacked of pep and power, he hit up seven miles an hour. He had his faults, I must allow; but so has every sheep and cow. He'd sometimes cut up monkey shines, and wrap his tail around the lines, and use his feet, with iron soles, to kick the dashboard full of holes, and driven batty by the flies, he'd grip the bit and close his eyes and try to climb a barbed wire fence, an animal bereft of sense. But taking Dobbin pro and con, I'm sometimes sorry that he's gone. When my old bus is full of bugs, with fantods in the sparking plugs, when tires blow out or springs break down, some forty-seven leagues from town; when I am stalled for lack of gas, a long night in the rain to pass: King Richard's plaint I then indorse, "My ten cent kingdom for a horse!" When motorcycle cops draw near and tell me that I must appear before the jurist and explain why I was pushing my old wain some sixty parasangs or so, where thirty is the clip to go, I cry aloud, in my remorse, "My crown and sceptre for a horse!" When reckless drivers hit my car, and from its bearings knock the tar, and I am knocked about a verst, so that my pink suspenders burst, I cry aloud, amid the gorse, "My silver corkscrew for a horse!"



The young lady across the way says she had hoped for a clean campaign for once and here she sees by the paper that they're already heaping encomiums on President Coolidge

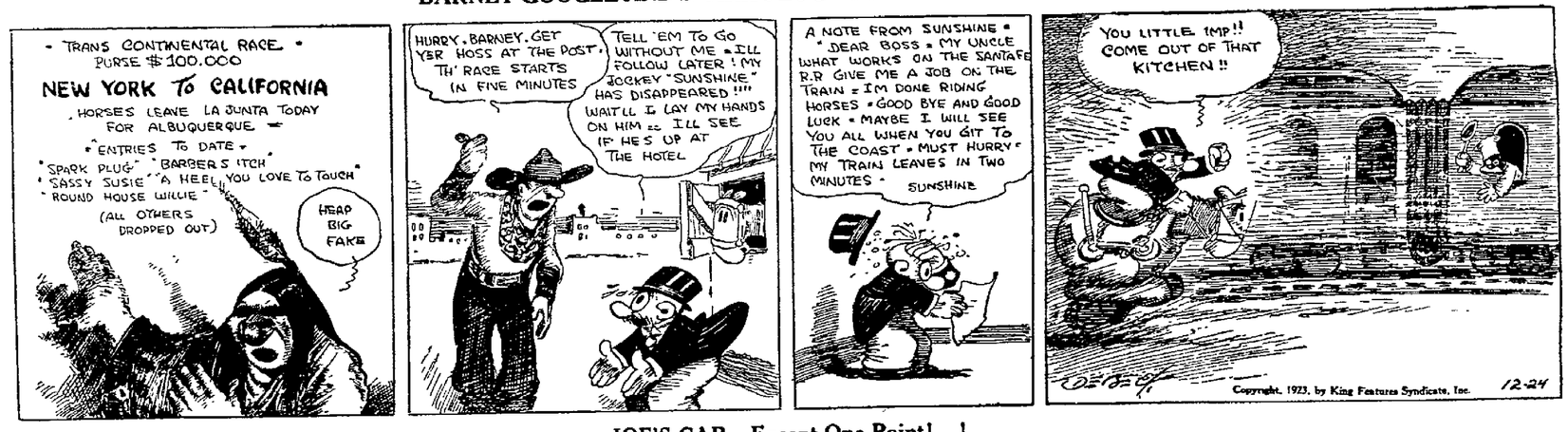
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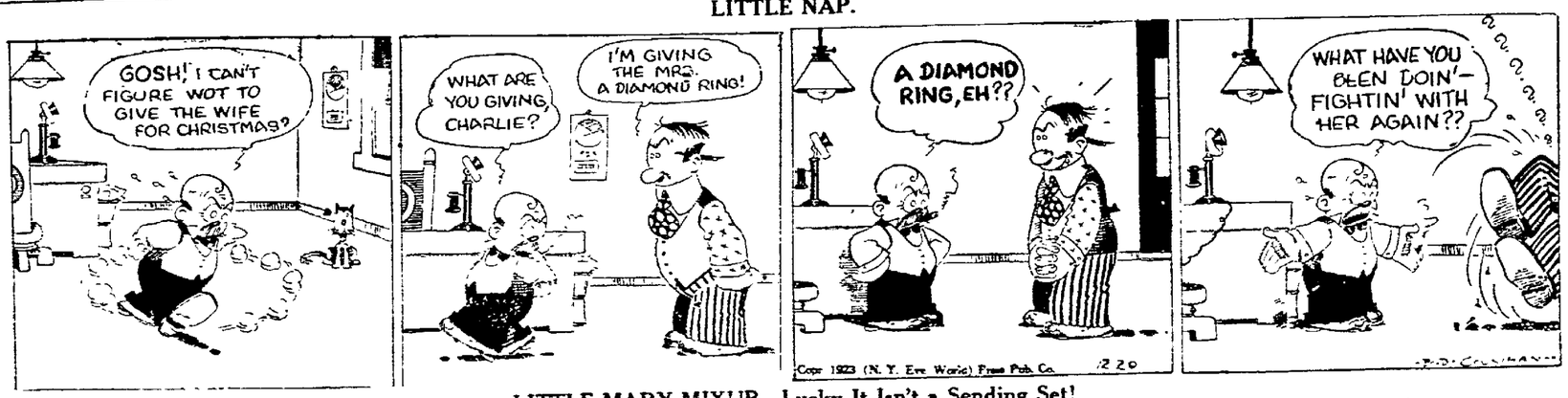
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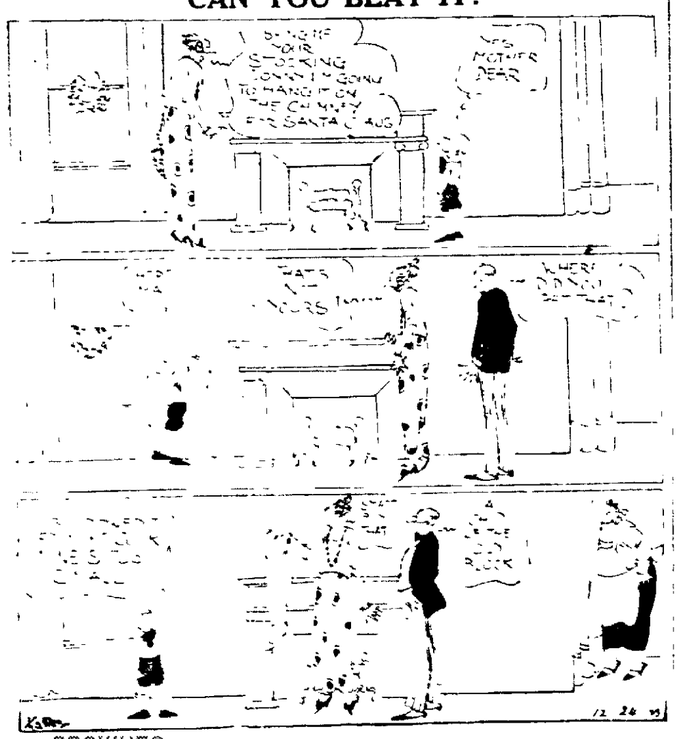
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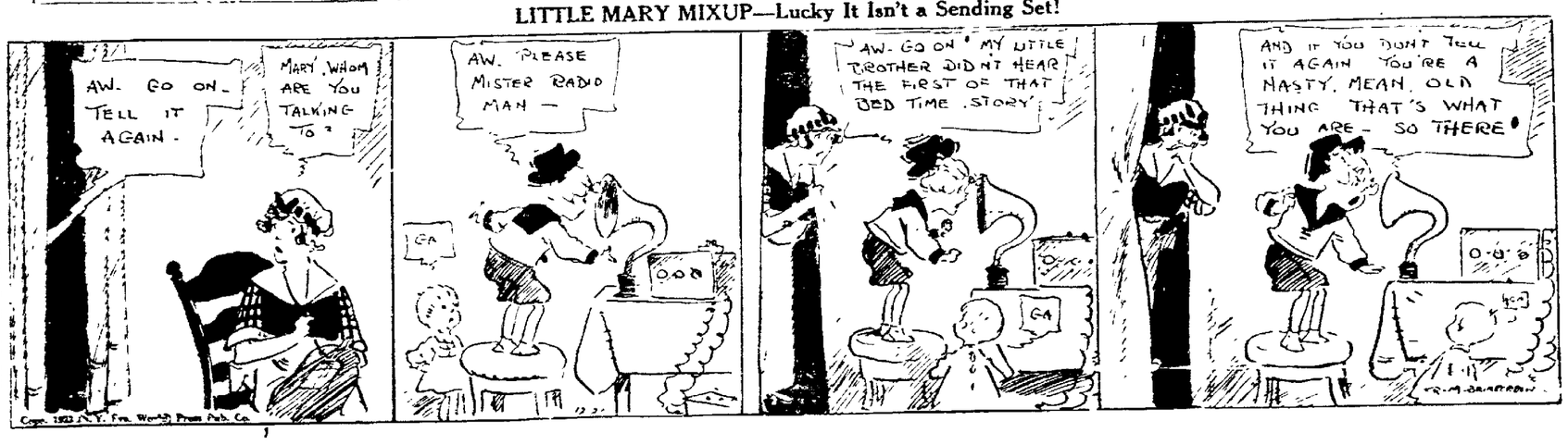
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